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1,300 AMERICANS ARE IN DEADLY PERIL VILLA IS AGAINST WAR WITH THE U. S. WARSHIP TO PROTECT U. S. CONSULATE

U. S. CITIZENS IN MEXICO CITY AT MERCY OF SAVAGE DICTATOR REBEL LEADERS MAY BREAK

CONSUL APPEALS FOR FORDES TO PROTECT CITIZENS

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 24.—The monitor Cheyenne, rushed under full steam to Ensenada to rescue United States Consul Guyant and other Americans said to be besieged in the consulate by armed Mexicans, is believed to have reached there at daylight today.

"Have taken refuge in consulate. Situation critical. Please send war ships immediately."

This is the text of the latest message received from Guyant. Coming, as it did after a message reporting the entire Mexican population as menacing the Americans, it is regarded as ominous. Although the Cheyenne has not reported, it is believed she has completed her trip. She left the harbor here at 10:30 p. m. and could easily make the ninety miles to Ensenada in eight or ten hours.

VILLA DECLARES HE'S WITH U. S. DON'T WANT WAR

EL PASO, Texas, April 24.—Wild excitement yesterday, born of baseless rumors that General Francisco Villa's rebel troops had attacked or would attack El Paso, was succeeded by calmness today. The presence in Juarez of Villa himself is responsible for the changed feeling and the secret of the hold he has on his followers has been partially explained to Americans. He has the faculty of impressing men with the feeling that he will do whatever he promises. Villa told the newspaper men there would be no war between the United States and the constitutionalists. People on the American side of the Rio Grande immediately dismissed the sensational war rumors as groundless, and resumed their business.

Nevertheless, the United States government is evidently taking no chances. Brigadier General Funston and his brigade from San Francisco will arrive Sunday.

Villa says he will remain in Juarez until the excitement abates, probably a week or ten days—when he will return to Torreon and resume his campaign against Huerta.

Villa brought with him General Felipe Angeles, commander of the rebel artillery division, and General Torribeo Ortega, one of Villa's principal commanders.

The generals were escorted by fifteen soldiers, instead of twelve thousand as reported by sensational newspapers yesterday.

General Villa upon his arrival in Juarez from Chihuahua said:

"We do not want a war with the United States or any foreign nation. Mexico has troubles of her own and Mexico can settle them if it is but given a little time. Personally I believe they are on the point of settlement now. I came to Juarez to meet my good American friends, to extend to them a hand of friendship and to thank them for the great interest they have taken in the efforts of the constitutionalists to restore peace to my unhappy country.

"I do not want war and I am sure your people do not. We have always been good friends, haven't we? Why, shouldn't we continue that way? You may rest assured I will do all in my power to see that there is no change in our relationship."

HUERTA URGES MOB TO RIOT AGAINST AMERICAN CITIZENS

By WILLIAM G. SHEPHERD, Staff Correspondent of United Press.
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VERA CRUZ, Mexico, April 24. — Eight hundred Americans are still in Mexico City today at the mercy of the Dictator Huerta. Anti-American demonstrations are constantly in progress.

Blind with anger, Huerta has instructed the police and soldiers not to molest mobs which have rioted in front of the American club, torn the coat of arms from the door of the consulate, and stoned and insulted the Americans who were brave enough to appear on the streets.

The American club has been abandoned and later looted by Mexicans. The American hotel has also been deserted. Nelson O'Shaughnessy, American charge d'affaires, announced that he was going to Vera Cruz, but it was the intention of O'Shaughnessy to leave secretly for Manzanillo on the west coast.

Lives in Their Hands

Since Tuesday, when Vera Cruz was taken, Americans have carried their lives in their hands in Mexico City. As the men worked tirelessly in the embassy preparing rifles and machine guns for action, the brave women of the colony constantly encouraged their husbands. There was no sign of fear. Mrs. O'Shaughnessy was ill from nervousness, but she served tea in the embassy to the men and women who were preparing to defend themselves against an expected attack from the infuriated Mexicans. Most of the time Mrs. O'Shaughnessy was prostrated upon a couch, but showing the utmost bravery, she graciously encouraged her husband and all who were working with him.

I arrived in Vera Cruz today with 150 men, women and children, from the American, English and German colonies in Mexico. Another train was due to leave the capital at 7 o'clock this morning and many more Americans may escape from the city. Those remaining, however, are dependent upon Sir Lionel Carden, the British ambassador, for protection. He is doing everything possible to protect them, and his plan when our party left was to distribute the Americans to the various embassies.

Left Wednesday

It was Wednesday evening when the sixty Americans, arriving here today, left Mexico City on what was really a British refugee train. The men, women and children left behind were hiding in their homes, trusting that Sir Lionel Carden would protect them.

Tuesday night every man in the American colony, including the correspondents, went to the embassy and prepared 275 rifles and two machine guns for use. They were in the basement, and all were brought out, tested and found to be ready.

Every interview between O'Shaughnessy and General Huerta increased the blind anger of the dictator. When I last saw the charge he was unspeakably worried.

The last report we heard was that Huerta planned to strip the embassy of its guns in retaliation for the taking of Vera Cruz. He had already seized the railroads and the cable and refused to permit O'Shaughnessy, Consul General Shanklin or Captain Burnsides, the militia attache, to send messages of any description.

"All I want is to get the embassy out of here," was the statement of O'Shaughnessy to me the last time I saw him.

Legislators Lead Mob

Members of the house of deputies led the mob which rioted in front of the American club after the news of Vera Cruz was received.

The news of the landing of the marines came to the people through extra editions of the newspapers. The dictator seemed to do everything possible to inflame the crowds. He was successful. They stormed through the streets, driving Americans before them, and then swept on toward the embassy.

O'Shaughnessy had no word from Washington as to the action that had been taken, as messages to him were withheld.

At the request of Ambassador Carden a guard of forty police was sent by Huerta, but throughout Tuesday and Wednesday night the embassy was surrounded by hooting, jeering crowds.

Hperta's action in permitting the mobs to visit their anger against the Americans was abviously in an effort to gain sympathy. I f the dictator finds that the followers of Carranza and Zapata, the bandit chief of the south, are anti-American he may even permit violence in an effort to consolidate the divided factions of the country.

Vera Cruz Troops Rage

Enroute to Vera Cruz, our train came upon the federal army which fled from Vera Cruz and I talked with the Mexican soldiers. They were wild with anger and declared they would return soon and "wipe out the Americans."

"The Americans fired before we expected," the troopers said, as they related the story of the landing, their hatred for the American sailors increasing with every repeated detail.

"We carried fifteen cannon away with us," the soldiers told me, "and will soon be ready to return and drive out the gringo invaders."

Try to Arrest Shepherd

I took a photograph of the retreating troops and at the next station, within two miles of the American lines, our train was held up by the federal soldiers for four hours. The officer in command demanded that I be taken from the train.

"Mr. Britisher, I believe you have deceived us," the officer declared as he insisted upon my arrest. He evidently mistook me for a British subject.

T. H. Hohler, the British charge d'affaires, refused to surrender me. There was some further parleying, but with the arrival of the relief train on which were British bluejackets from the Essex, we were permitted to continue toward Vera Cruz.

All passengers were transferred to the relief train for the final stage of the trip into Vera Cruz. The engine which pulled the refugees into the seaport city had been filled with 4,000 buckets of water carried by the crews of the battleships Arkansas and Florida. Not being in possession of any water tanks it is necessary for the American forces to carry the water used on the engines.

500 in Guadalajara

There are 500 Americans in Guadalajara who are probably in as great danger as those remaining in Mexico City. Anti-American sentiment is to be permitted to run rampant until the anger of Huerta is satisfied. He has the double purpose of revenge for Vera Cruz and support in a general conflict with the United States.

The dictator is going to every extreme means to raise an army and funds. He is making paper money galore. A guard of soldiers was sent to an American printing shop where money was being produced.

LOCAL MEN IN UNCLE SAM'S ARMY AND NAVY



Captain Brooks Shuman, with the 24th infantry in the Philippines.



Ensign Fred C. Beisel, Jr., with battleship Missouri.

ARMY STARTS TODAY FROM GALVESTON TO AID BADGER'S NARINES

GALVESTON, Tex., April 24.—The movement of the regular army of the United States into Mexico began early today when General Funston's command proceeded to embark on transports for Vera Cruz. The vessels sail as fast as loaded, and by daylight tomorrow morning a formidable force will be on its way to the aid of Admiral Badger's marines.

The forces to embark are: The Fifth infantry brigade, Sixth cavalry, Fourth field artillery and a battalion of engineers.

Four transports will convey all but the cavalry, which will be taken on two vessels chartered by the government, upon which stalls for horses are being rigged this afternoon.

Shortly before six o'clock the Twenty-eighth infantry, the first to leave camp at Fort Crockett, swung on board the transport Kilpatrick. From that time on, for several hours there was a never ending stream of khaki clad soldiers streaming up the gangways to quarters below decks. Huge bonfires blazed in the camp, where the troops burned debris and equipment that could not be taken along, and when the Twenty-eighth deployed onto the sea wall boulevard, the band playing the traditional "The Girl I Left Behind Me."

The Nineteenth followed, then the Fourth and Seventh, with Company R, Engineers, the last to move.

The Fifth brigade embarked as follows:

Twenty-eighth infantry on McClellan; Seventh on Kilpatrick; Nineteenth on Sumner; Fourth on the Meade. The Kilpatrick is brigade headquarters and also division headquarters for the embarkation, carrying Funston and other high officers. The destroyers Reid, Flusser and Preston will accompany the transports. All will be out of this port by dark, say the officers, probably sailing about four o'clock.

CROWDS FLOCK TO ARMORIES TO SEE MILITIA IN DRILL

Mothers and Sweethearts Among the Spectators at Companies B and M Last Night

DON CAMERON AMONG ENLISTED

Former Baseball Player Joins Fowler's Company; Get Two Former Regular Army Men

COMPANY B ENLISTS EIGHT MEN

Capt. Bradley Anticipates No Difficulty in Enlisting to Full Strength; Ready to Move

With war spirit manifesting itself in many ways the members of Companies M and B of the Wisconsin National guard last night went through preliminary inspection drill.

Both armories were jammed with spectators and in the crowds were mothers and sweethearts. The scenes at both armories had the earmarks of a final assembly and the men went through the "stunts" with seriousness which precedes a call to active field service.

Many appeared at both armories to enlist and the local companies will have no trouble in recruiting their full war strength if necessary, declare both captains.

"If I had had the cream of the county to choose from I couldn't have picked out eight better men than were enlisted last night in Company M."

This was the declaration this morning of Captain F. H. Fowler.

Several appeared at M company to enlist and among these are two former "regulars" and Don Cameron, baseball player and former third baseman in the Pacific Coast league.

Mossey a Find

Harry Mossey, Bangor, Wis., is one of the former regulars deemed a great find by Captain Fowler. Mossey served three years in the regular army and last month was mustered out after three years' service in the marine corps. When mustered out he was a corporal.

Augustus G. Dyson, 427 South Third street, served four years in the navy, having benn mustered out a year ago and last night enlisted as a member of Company M.

A list of the new members of M company with their addresses follows:

Nine New Men

Harry Mossey, Bangor, Wis.
Augustus G. Dyson, 427 South Third.
Frank A. Miller, 607 North Tenth.
Don A. Cameron, 1302 State.
Charles W. Kennedy, Grand Crossing.
Joseph C. Bartlett, 347 Soutah Twenty-second.
Sydney C. Moore, Onalaska.
Arthur H. Holthaus, Onalaska.
Charles Brown, 516 South Third.

Tests Are Rigid

All of the applicants were put through a rigid physical test by Major D. S. McArthur, surgeon. The test, many claim, is more severe than that of the regular army. The men are also tested in reading and writing, it being imperative that all soldiers have a knowledge of the English language.

Wednesday morning Co. M will be inspected by Captain Robert Westcott of the regular army. Because of the great interest in the militia at the present time a large crowd of spectators are expected. Captain Fowler may make arrangements to secure a large hall for the inspection, room being limited in the present quarters.

Friendship is essential to happiness. Even the man who is his own best friend can't get along very well without a few others.

TO MAKE MILITIA REGULARS BY LAW IS EFFECT OF BILL

Measure Will Soon Reach President Providing New Oath Pledging World-wide Service

IT DODGES THE CONSTITUTION

Failure of Dick Law May Be Overcome by Using Term "Volunteer" s for "Militia"

CONFUSION IS EXPLAINED AWAY

General Holway and Captain Fowler Discuss the Rights and Duties of Militiamen

WASHINGTON, April 24.—A bill reorganizing the militia and placing it directly under the authority of the president and war department of the United States, now in the senate, is expected to go to the president for his signature within a few hours. The essential features of the bill are as follows:

The oath of enlistment enlarged to include a pledge of service as a volunteer in or out of the country at any time in case of war.

Requirement that to be accepted regiment's quota of enlisted men be in proportion to number of officers, as per specifications of war department for regulars.

Conferring additional supervision over militia in times of peace upon the war department.

As a large majority of the full quota of militia companies of the National guard is already filled with men enlisted under the old form of oath, the law will not be fully operative at present, but it will take care of new enlistments and render all militiamen enlisted after its passage subject at any time to a call for federal service at home or abroad.

Adj. Gen. Orlando Holway, in an interview to day, explained the method of entering the national service where the troops are called upon to cross the nation's boundaries.

The procedure was followed in the Spanish American war. The company is assembled, and formally mustered out of service. Then the captain or mustering officer gives the command.

"Company ———raise your right hands."

The oath ushering the company, as a body, into the volunteer army for world-wide service is then administered.

May Vote On It

Whether, after the process of mustering out is completed, an individual member of the company can decline to take the oath for volunteer service, is in dispute, owing to conflicting decisions, is in dipute, owadffuncAdsao. TB:1 g1s?t- wo ing to conflicting decisions. The point is covered by the method of preceding the mustering in and out by a vote of the company, in which a three-fourths majority controls all, seems to cover the question, but its legality is said to be mooted.

Officers of high rank believe that should emergency require, the war department might assume full authority to order the militia into service within or without the country, regardless of possibly adverse constructions of the law.

May Muster Out

General Holway said today that until orders arrive the exact method of procedure adopted by the war department will not be known, but local officers are of the opinion that, as even should the bill mentioned in the above dispatch become a law, its repeal of the option as to federal service given those at present enlisted at the time they took the oath cannot deprive them of their right to exercise that option, but will apply only to new enlistments, the plan pursued in the Spanish-American war will be pursued.

Confusion Explained

Capt. F. H. Fowler, of Company M, said today that the oath which has been administered here to present members enlisted during the past two years conforms to the proposed new oath in that the recruit pledges himself to service outside the nation if called. His interview furnishes the first illumination of the badly confused subject of the rights and obligations of a militiaman.

"Two years ago," said the captain, "the Dick law passed by congress established a new oath which in effect placed the state militia as completely under the president's control as are the regulars, so far as leaving the country was concerned. The law removed all the red tape of mustering the men out of the state service and into the federal service.

SERVICE EAGER TO MARCH UPON MEXICAN CAPITAL

Urge President to Send a Column to City of Mexico from Vera Cruz at Once

WAR SPIRIT INSPIRES CONGRESS

Legislators Will Welcome Word from President to Authorize War Policy

EXPECT FIGHTING AGAIN TODAY

Marines Are to Take Possession of Water Supply Reservoirs Near Vera Cruz

By JOHN E. NEVIN
(United Press Staff Correspondent).

WASHINGTON, April 24.—"Mexico City next," was the slogan today of the army and navy. Heads of both branches of the service believe there is now no chance of peace. They are expecting momentarily a formal declaration of war from Huerta. They are ready for such action.

Officers assert that unless this notion acts promptly and rushes an expedition to Mexico City our forces at Vera Cruz will be decimated by disase and constantly exposed to attack from the land. The army and navy has told the president through Secretaries Daniels and Garrison, that if the Mexican capital is seized and the railroad between Vera Cruz and the capital guarded, this country can dictate its terms and assure restoration of tranquility.

Congress For War.

The war spirit was rampant in congress today as the brief news of the fighting at Vera Cruz. The national legislators would welcome the word from the president formally to authorize substituting a war policy for "reprisal on Huerta."

The president and his advisers, wrile publicly paying attention only to Huerta, are secretly keeping the strictest of watches on the headquarters of the constitutionalists.

The troops ordered from the Presidio at San Francisco are to be followed by others from the north It is certain that by Sunday the entire army will be headed south.



Millinery Section

$5.00 Hat Sale

Every accepted style type of the new Spring Hats is to be found in our Millinery department.

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Velvet Carpet with border to match, at per yard, **$1.00 and** **$1.25**

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Stair Carpets and Hall Runners, 27 and 36 inch wide.

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Fancy and novelty weaves in finest Crepe, Rice Cloth, Voile, Swiss, Marquisette and Chiffon weaves.

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We have a large line of Baskets, Auto Baskets, Lunch Baskets, Clothes Baskets and Hampers.

If you are in want of a Suit Case or Traveling Bag, we have a large line of them from **$2.00 to $18** each.

We have Crepe Paper, Paper Napkins and Shelf Paper.

We have Fish Bowls at **25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00** each.

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at 9 A. M. sharp

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Huck, sizes up to 19x38. The 17x32 is a very heavy close woven towel that will give a maximum of wear. Red, blue, white, plain hem and hemstitched, at each **35c**

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Momie Cloth Towel, pure linen, at each **25c**

Softer than huck, more absorbent than damask.

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Pure thread Silk (not loaded) at per pair **$1.00**

Both heavy and light weight cotton sole, heel and toe, and a wide garter top that will prevent "garter runs." Every color is shown, **and it will wear.**

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Other Golf Rugs at each..... **$6.75, $7.50 and $10.00**

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THE TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

BILL'S SWEETHEART

BY IZOLA FORRESTER

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"It wouldn't be so bad if she were anything but a school teacher. Do you honestly like school teachers, Billie, dear?"

Mrs. Barrie glanced up from the little desk in the south end of the morning room. Dr. Chapin read his mail always over his breakfast, and liked the latter served at the open window looking out to sea, on het small table.

"Of course, we're not obliged to take her, but Roxana is so explicit. She just makes it seem like a duty, don't you know, Billie? And there's not another place where she could live on the whole strip excepting Captain Donnelly's, and I wouldn't let her go there if she's a friend of Roxy's, of course. I don't think she'll be much bother, do you, Billie?"

"How old is she?" asked the doctor, cheerfully. "You must strike a happy medium, Sally. If she's too young, she'll keep us all busy amusing her, and if she's too old, she'll try to amuse us."

"Roxy doesn't say. We're to meet the 5:02 train down from Boston Saturday at Asconsett, and she's going to wear a pongee coat with black satin buttons. You'll remember, Bill, won't you, because you'll have to meet her."

"What's her name, did you say?"

"I haven't told you yet. It's, let's see where it is—oh, yes, it's Bess Broderick."

"Great Scott!" Dr. Chapin lifted his head and stared in absolute panic at the plump, placid figure down by the desk. "Does she know I'm here?"

"Why, Billy, dear, how very funny you look? You act scared. Do you know her?"

The doctor hesitated. He had not been a doctor very long. Two years back of that lay his interne days, and back of that college. He had not seen Bess since the college days, not since they both went to the old university in Wisconsin. It flashed back now, the whole winter and spring of courting Bess. The little snug bungalow and crescent of sand and wide sweep of sea and sky vanished. In their stead there was Bess brown eyed and laughing, the old class days, and the long tramps and picnics up along the lake shore. Then there had been the night when he had taken her home and tried to kiss her. She had been as gay and fun loving as any of the girls, but out there on the rose covered porch of the cottage, with his sweater around her shoulders, she had told him something, grave and sweet as a girl could be.

"You see, Billie, it's this way. I've never kissed a man, not really. You don't count the little snatched ones at parties, you know. I mean like this, if I were to lift my face and really, truly let you kiss me right bang on the lips. And maybe kiss back, I don't know. I've been saving that for one who will be the one, you understand, don't you, Billie, and—and I don't think that's you."

He had been leaving the following day, and he asked her to write to him. All through his days in the hospital she had written cheery, chummy letters, but no sweethearting. She told him if he started it, the letters would stop because he wasn't the right one. He had grown to hate that other fellow who stood in his way, the right one. And finally he had taken the plunge and had written her one long appeal, and she had not answered the letter. She might at least have done that, he thought.

"I think I'll run up to Boston for a couple of weeks, Sallie," began the doctor. "I did know Miss Broderick out west at college, but that was Wisconsin, and this is Cape Cod."

"Did you flirt with her, Billie?" This reproachfully. The doctor had the reputation of being a sober minded, promising young citizen and member of society up around Boston, but Sallie preserved a sisterly recollection of the days out at college before the exodus down east after their grandfather's death.

"I," he hesitated and smiled grimly. "Sallie, be good. I don't think it would add to Miss Broderick's vacation pleasure to find me here at all. She probably doesn't even know that I am your brother."

"But you can't go away and leave me alone here with only Delia and the baby. You promised to stay for two months while Tom was gone to the coast, and you have to, Billie. Don't be a goose. Just be nice to the girl and courteous, that's all. A woman always accepts a situation tactfully."

The doctor remained against his will and judgment. Saturday he drove down to Asconsett and waited for the down train that trailed along the cape. At least, he told himself, he would be no captive in her train of triumph. Not in any way would he show her he remembered the heartache of the old days.

She did not recognize him, not at first. The few passengers straggled away from the platform into the waiting station hacks and carryalls, and left her standing.

"Miss Broderick, isn't it?" asked Billie cordially, but with dignity. And Bess looked up in his face with one startled flash of surprised delight."

"Why, Billy Chapin, you old dear," she exclaimed. "I thought sure you'd run away when you found I was coming down."

"Then you knew I was here?"

"Roxy told me, but I couldn't give up the trip just for fear you might get unexpected heart throbs."

Billie started to speak, halted, looked down at her hazel eyes. They had the same little gold sparkle in them that he remembered when the light struck them right, just as her brown hair held the sunlight sheen. He helped her into his lightweight cart, and turned the pony's head along the shore road. The situation required much restraint and diplomacy.

"I'm glad you've made a success, Billie," she was saying. "Do you specialize in anything particular?"

"Anything but hearts,' said Billie. "The sea view is beautiful from this hill, isn't it?"

"It's better farther on, by moonlight."

She turned and looked at him with troubled eyes.

"Billie, what is it? You used to be so earnest and strong, somehow, and now you seem cynical."

"You might at least have answered the letter, even if it was just a cub's effusion. It was fearfully sincere."

Bess frowned. "I haven't the least idea what you're talking about."

"The last letter I ever wrote to you."

"I haven't heard from you in over two years; not since you wrote of leaving the hospital."

"It was after that,' said Billie gloomily. "I sent it to the dear old place on the shore where you always stayed."

"Billie!" Her little gloved hand reached over and gripped his—the left one nearest her. Billie lost control of the reins, but the pony jogged along just the same. "I never got it at all. Couldn't you remember what was in it and tell it to me now, please Billie?"

Mrs. Barrie waited dinner patiently, then anxiously; but it was past the sunset hour when the cart came slowly up to the low, broad veranda and Billie helped the little school teacher out. Even from a sister's standpoint she could see that Bill's face fairly shone with an inner radiance.

"Sallie," he said, "Sallie, it's all over. Bess and I are engaged. Don't ask any questions until after dinner, because we're starved. God bless Cousin Roxy."

Catering to All.

A Boston merchant tells of an old grocer in Massachusetts who was about as "slick" an article as one would care to meet.

"One day," says the Bostonian, "I stopped before his shop and looked curiously at a long line of barrels of apples, some marked with an 'A,' some marked with a 'Z.'

"'What is the meaning of these markings?' I asked. 'The barrels seem to contain the same kind of apples.'

"'They are the same kind, son,' the old gentleman replied, 'but some customers want a barrel opened at the top and some at the bottom.'"—New York Times.

This is the time of year when all a man has to do is pay rent.

Daddy's Bedtime Story—

How the Keeper Saved the Fawn's Life.



Put Her Head on the Keeper's Shoulder.

JACK and Evelyn sometimes went on trips to the zoo with daddy, but they hadn't been there for ever so long. So when daddy came home they spoke about it.

"I know," said daddy, "we haven't been for a long, long time, that's very true, but we'll surely go soon.

"First, though, I must tell you the story I heard of one of the deers in the zoo.

"This mother deer had a beautiful young fawn, and, oh, she was so proud of her beautiful child! She gave the fawn all the attention that any devoted mother deer could.

"One day, alas, the fawn, who was somewhat delicate, caught a terrific cold. The mother deer was frightened, and by evening the fawn's cough was dreadful. Now, the keeper had fed all the animals, and they had gone to bed for the night. But the deer cried so piteously that the good, kind keeper whose own home was near by, knew that something was the matter.

"When he reached the little home of the mother deer and her beautiful fawn he found the mother deer leaning her head sadly against the wire door and the fawn had her head by her mother's side.

"'Oh, my child, my beautiful child, is ill! She has such a dreadful cold and I'm afraid she'll die! Oh, what can you do for her?' wailed the deer.

"The keeper understood perfectly, and he took a big warm rug and put it right over the fawn. Then he went back to his home and heated some milk which he came back with and fed slowly to the deer.

"The keeper sat up all night with the fawn, giving her warm milk and keeping her well covered. She did look so sick, and her big eyes looked so pleading! They seemed to say:

"'Oh, Mr. Keeper, save me so I won't have to leave my mother!'

"And as the keeper began to soothe the fawn the mother deer looked on and seemed so relieved.

"In the morning the fawn's cold was ever so much better. It had almost entirely disappeared, and by afternoon, when the fawn had been in the sun all the morning, she was really quite herself again.

"Once more her big eyes looked happy, and the mother deer, when the keeper came to bring them their supper that night, put her head on the keeper's shoulder and cried—a very different cry from the night before. She cried for joy because her lovely fawn was alive and well, and she cried on the keeper's shoulder because she knew the keeper had saved her beautiful child's life."

Various Forms Of Headache

"It is necessary in order to treat headaches properly to understand the causes which produce the affection" says Dr. J. W. Ray of Blockton, Ala. Continuing, he says: "Physicians cannot even begin the treatment of a disease without knowing what causes give rise to it, and we must remember that headache is to be treated according to the same rule. We must not only be particular to give a remedy intended to counteract the cause which produces the headache, but we must also give a remedy to relieve the pain until the cause of the trouble has been removed. To answer this purpose Anti-kamnia Tablets will be found a most convenient and satisfactory remedy. One tablet every one to three hours gives comfort and rest in the most severe cases of headache, neuralgia and particularly the headaches of women."

When we have a patient subject to regular attacks of sick headache, we should caution him to keep his bowels regular, for which nothing is better than "Actoids", and when he feels the least sign of an oncoming attack, he should take two A-K Tablets. Such patients should always be instructed to carry a few Anti-kamnia Tablets, so as to have them ready for instant use. These tablets are prompt in action, and can be depended on to produce relief in a very few minutes. Ask for A-K Tablets.

Anti-kamnia Tablets can be obtained at all druggists and so can A-K Salve, so well known for Eczema and skin diseases.

LUTHER COLLEGE CONCERT BAND

OF 62 PIECES and GLEE CLUB

Prof. Carlo Sperati, Director

On their way to Christiania, Norway, where they will open their European tour, May 17, will appear at the

La Crosse Theatre

Sunday Evening, April 26th

Tickets, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

EXPECT THE CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

Local Recruiting Station Regulars Look for Orders to Enlist Men for War

Scores of La Crosse boys with an over-abundance of patriotism are today casting longing eyes at the regular army and anticipating donning of the khaki. The sole question that seems to be troubling the would be "boys in blue" is their speedy arrival at the front.

Expect the Call

Since morning more than forty men seeking to enlist in the volunteer service have sought information at the army recruiting station. No volunteers have as yet been called for but the La Crosse recruiting officers are daily expecting word to enlist volunteers from the adjutant general at Washington.

Two applications were made to join the regulars this morning but both men failed to pass the physical examination owing to defective eye sight. In most cases men prefer to join the volunteers, as they would then be mustered out at the close of active service.

All that is necessary to join the first papers if not American born, and a willingness to spend three years in active service and four years in the reserve service of the army. Recruiting Officers Joseph Evans and Bernard Egan are patiently waiting at the recruiting station in the Stavrum and Hulberg building to take on all comers who can qualify. The recruiting officers predict speedy service for the regulars.

Go to Snelling

Recruits enlisting at the La Crosse sub station will be forwarded to Fort Snelling, Minneapolis, the head recruiting station for this district. From the Minneapolis recruiting station the newly enlisted are sent to St. Louis once a week.

At St. Louis the recruits are allotted to various regiments in need of men to reach the full war strength. At the present time all recruits at St. Louis are being assigned to regiments which are in line for active service in Mexico.

While the navy is opening the warfare at Mexico few men are seeking information on navy enlistments, preferring the army. Terms of navy enlistment are four years.

Most Extraordinary.

"He has certainly raised his family in an old fashioned way."

"So?"

"Why, that man's children actually ask him for advice." — Washington Herald.

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THE LA CROSSE TRIBUNE
Sworn Detailed Statement for the Month of March

MARCH Daily Average **7,568**

1—Sunday		16—Mon	7,558
2—Mon	7,552	17—Tues	7,569
3—Tues	7,567	18—Wed	7,577
4—Wed	7,584	19—Thur	7,563
5—Thurs	7,584	20—Fri	7,584
6—Fri	7,571	21—Sat	7,556
7—Sat	7,559	22—Sunday	
8—Sunday		23—Mon	7,549
9—Mon	7,618	24—Tues	7,553
10—Tues	7,592	25—Wed	7,564
11—Wed	7,563	26—Thur	7,569
12—Thur	7,547	27—Fri	7,587
13—Fri	7,558	28—Sat	7,572
14—Sat	7,564	29—Sunday	
15—Sunday		30—Mon	7,548
		31—Tues	7,562

Totals.....196,770

Average.....7,568

Frank H. Burgess

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of April, 1914.

A. E. BLEEKMAN, Notary Public.

SERVICE IS ITS OWN BEST REWARD

To the Editorial Department:

Get the news first and print it first. Spare no expense.

To Press Room and Stereotypers:

Keep hot furnace fires constantly and be ready to deliver an extra in twenty minutes at any hour of day or night.

To the Circulation Department:

Circulate every edition as widely as possible and with greatest dispatch. Distribute all extras free of charge until further orders.

The foregoing orders issued by the publishers of The Tribune Sunday night, carried out to the letter, have enabled this paper to render its reading public a service equalled nowhere in cities of this class and equalling that rendered in cities of the first class.

Every accomplished fact has been given to the public with up-to-the-minute promptitude and unfailing accuracy, and it is a remarkable fact that every edition issued from this office has given the first story of the latest developments to be published in this field. Last night, for the first time, our nearest competitor carried an important story which did not appear in The Tribune—the purported advance of Villa upon El Paso at the head of 12,000 men. The distinguishing fact about this story was that IT WAS ABSOLUTELY UNTRUE. Villa arrived at Jaurez this morning with fifteen men and said he did not want war. The swiftness with which extras were put in circulation as each important development "broke" in news form was due to the accuracy with which, from the logic of situations, coming events were anticipated and prepared for in The Tribune office.

The incomparable efficiency of the United Press' leased wire service and the alertness of the Central Press association cut service must be mentioned among the facilities which have enabled us to render our citizens this extraordinary service.

In the local field The Tribune has achieved equal success, having been first to publish every phase of facts, developments, method and program relating to the militia of La Crosse and other cities furnishing the First Battalion of the Third regiment, and full information about the complete list of officers and privates from this vicinity in the regular army and the navy.

Realizing that the expense to which this paper has gone runs into the hundreds of dollars, many people have asked us "what we get out of it." The answer is simple. As against the policy of getting out as cheaply as possible and making a few dollars daily on mail editions marked "Extra," we have adopted the broader view that promptest, most complete and wide-spread service is The Tribune's duty for the present and greatest asset for the future.

Our efforts have indeed been appreciated. Scores of new subscribers have been attracted to The Tribune. For five days a constant assemblage, varying from a dozen to scores and at times hundreds of people, have watched the bulletins in The Tribune's window. An idea of the volume of the crowds may be secured from the fact that, in addition to the hundreds who paused in the crowd to read the bulletins and passed on, fifteen hundred invididuals actually entered The Tribune office between five and nine o'clock of Tuesday evening. This was checked by the fact that 1,500 extras were given out over the counter during these hours. The demand for the extra necessitated two additional press runs and sent the register up to 4,600 copies. Two earlier extras reached 1,000, which plus the regular 4 o'clock edition of 7,692 copies, made a total of 13,392 Tribunes for the day. During the four days from Monday to Thursday inclusive the press run has averaged 10,000 copies daily. In this appreciation of our efforts we find remuneration above and beyond petty considerations of economy or profit.

AMMONS EXPECTED PLOT

CHICAGO, April 24.—"Well I'm not surprised." declared Gov. Ammons of Colorado upon his arrival here yesterday afternoon, when informed by the United Press of a report from Denver that efforts will be made to impeach him because of the industrial warfare at Ludlow.

"Both sides are so bitter that I'm not at all surprised, though it is the first I've heard of it," said Ammons. "I am hurrying back to Colorado to make a thorough investigation and I want it understood that I'm going to restore that country to order."

Gov. Ammons, with Attorney General Fred Farrar, is returning from Washington, where he appeared before the public lands committee.

HOLD POLICE DOG TRIALS

SCRANTON, Pa., April 24.—The feature of the Anthracite Kennel Association of America's dog show which opened here today was to be the series of police dogs' trials. For the best German police dogs shown a handsome silver cup is offered by the Scranton police force and valued at $150.

Other prizes in other classes will be money prizes, loving cups, vases, trays, inkstands and jewelry. The show will continue three days.

ARMY SEES LONG WAR

HOUSTON, Texas, April 24.—Army officers at Texas City are pessimistic over the Carranza declaration and believe it portends a long and hard campaign in Mexico. Recruits are being rushed to Texas City to fill regiments to war strength.

Except for politics satan would lose his grip on some men.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

Do It Now

Oh, listen, I pray,
To the scientist's tune.
A fly swatted now
Saves 1,675,483
In June.
Perhaps it is true
And perhaps it's no lie,
That a fly swatted now
Saves 4,878,643,983
In July.
But I've hunted all day
And as yet I have not
Found a fly 'round the place
To swat.
They carry the germs
And they carry bacilli,
And it is a good plan
To knock 'em silly.
If someone will please go
And find me a fly
I'll hasten the pest
To the sweet bye and bye.
But unless I can find one to swat
Pretty soon,
I cannot save 1,675,483.
In June.

A Clear Windshield

A doctor living in a rainy climate, whose calls took him out often in wet weather, undertook the problem of maintaining clear vision through the windshield of his automobile regardless of rain; and he succeeded in making a prescription that would do the work.

The prescription calls for one ounce of water, two ounces of glycerine and one dram of salt. This is poured on a piece of gauze and then wiped over the glass, care being taken to have all the strokes downward. The effect of the treatment is to prevent raindrops from clinging to the glass.

Star Gazing

It is often that Representative Mann, of Illinois, is stopped in debate; but Representative Fowler, from Mann's own state, sewed up the doughty leader of the republicans the other day.

A bill relating to the importation of convict-made goods was under consideration and the discussion had taken a wide range and had reached the foreign child-labor phase. After a time Mann offered an amendment.

Fowler rose and told a story of a man who was peddling telescopes in the old days in Illinois. He stopped at a farmhouse. The farmer had never seen a telescope and was much interested. The peddler explained the workings of the telescope and told him to look at the moon with it.

The farmer adjusted it and looked at the moon. He walked round the yard with the telescope glued to his eye, gazing at the sky, fell into a cistern and was drowned.

At the funeral the children were overcome with grief, but the widow retained her composure.

One of the girls said:

"Ma, don't you think that was an awful way for pa to die?"

"I don't see that it makes much difference," the widow replied. "If your father had been looking at things closer to home he would be alive now."

"That is very smart!" was all Mann could think of in retort.

Relief For the Kidneys

Improper kidney action causes more sickness, suffering and serious complications than any other organ. The kidneys are two large glands situated near the middle of the back and their function is to purify every ounce of blood in the body, and to do this they must be in a healthy condition. If they become inflamed, congested or otherwise weakened in their action, the poison remains in the blood, and the whole system becomes impregnated. The general symptoms are backache, loss of appetite, headache, torpid liver, constipation, indigestion, nervousness, drowsiness, sleeplessness, skin troubles, malaria, etc. If you have any of these symptoms, you should at once commence taking Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Remedy, which for 37 years has been a standard remedy for the kidneys and liver, and today it stands without a rival in healing with certainty the frail tubular structures constituting these important organs. It is a sure antidote to poisons formed in the human body, owing to incapable action of the kidneys and liver, eliminating through the kidneys, bowels and skin all morbid and unhealthy accumulations from the system. It will help you from the very first dose. At all druggists in 50c and $1.00 sizes. Free sample and valuable information if you write, Warner Safe Remedies Co., Dept. 422, Rochester, N. Y.



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With the first application of bold-sulphur cream the angry itching attending any eczema eruption ceases and its remarkable healing powers begin. Sulphur, says a renowned dermatologist, just common bold-sulphur, made into a thick cream will soothe and heal the skin when irritated and broken out with Eczema or any form of eruption. The moment it is applied all itching ceases and after two or three applications the Eczema disappears, leaving the skin clear and smooth.

He tells Eczema sufferers to get from any good pharmacy an ounce of bold-sulphur cream and apply it to the irritated, inflamed skin, the same as you would any cold cream.

For many years this soothing, healing sulphur has occupied a secure position in the treatment of cutaneous affections by reason of its parasite-destroying property. It is not only parasiticidal, but also antipruritic, antiseptic and remarkably healing in all irritable and inflammatory conditions of the skin. While not always establishing a permanent cure it never fails to instantly subdue the irritation and heal the Eczema right up and it is often years later before any eruption again appears on the skin.

The Elusive Jeopard

An applicant for a place as teacher in one of the colored schools at Louisville was being examined touching his fitness for the position. He was a small, dapper, yellow person, wearing gold spectacles, a long black coat and an abiding air of great dignity.

The examination was in part oral and syntax had been reached.

"Whath is your definition of the would 'jeopardized?'" asked the examiner.

The candidate's brow wrinkled.

"Which?" he inquired.

"What do you understand the word 'jeopardized' to mean?"

For just one short half minute he hesitated. Then he answered sonorously:

"In reply to yo' question I would state that that would refer to any act committed by a jeopard."

The President's Privilege

President Wilson has had his nails manicured by a professional manicure just once in his life. That once was after he was elected president and before he was inaugurated.

He had some time in New York and decided to use it in a visit to a manicure. A fluffy blond person officiated with the orange stick and pumice.

She took the hand of the future president, began operations and began conversation at the same time.

"Where do you live?" she asked archly.

"In Princeton, New Jersey," Mr. Wilson replied.

"Oh," she said ecstatically, "what a privilege! Have you ever seen the house in which Mr. Cleveland lived?"

Ready Wrapped

A secretary for a Massachusetts congressman had never seen a cotton seed. A few days ago he happened to be in the office of a representative from the south and saw several small sacks on the floor.

"What are those?" he asked.

'Cotton seed furnished by the department of agriculture for distribution down our way," the southerner explained.

A sack was opened and the Yankee examined the cotton seed with great interest. He picked up some and observed the lint that clings closely to the seed. He pulled at this, but was not successful in removing any of the lint.

"My!" he said. "The department certainly treats you fellows fine. Just think of wrapping up each seed so carefully in cotton! How do they do that?"

RACE MEETING OPENS.

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 24.—With some of the best horses in the country stabled here, the Kentucky Racing association today opened its spring race meet which will continue twelve days.



By HAROLD MACGRATH

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In her room, later, she wrote two letters. The one to Arthur covered several pages; the other consisted of a single line. She went down to the office, mailed Arthur's letter and left the note in Warrington's key-box. It was not an intentionally cruel letter she had written to the man in America; but if she had striven toward that effect she could not have achieved it more successfully. She cried out against the way he had treated his brother, the false pride that had hidden all knowledge of him from her. Where were the charity and mercy of which he had so often preached? Pages of burning reproaches which seared the soul of the man who read them. She did not confide the state of her heart. It was not necessary. The arraignment of the one and the defense of the other were sufficiently illuminating.

Soundly the happy sleep. She did not hear the removal of Warrington's luggage at midnight, for it was stealthily done. Neither did she hear the fretful mutter of the bird as his master disturbed his slumbers. Nothing warned her that he intended to spend the night on board; that, having paid his bill early in the evening, her note might have lain in the key-box until the crack of doom, so far as he was likely to know of its existence. No angel of pity whispered to her, Awake! No dream-magic people tell about drew for her the picture of the man she loved, pacing up and down the cramped deck of the packet-boat, fighting a battle compared to which that of the afternoon was play. Elsa slept on, dreamless.

When she awoke in the morning she ran to the mirror: all this fresh beauty she was going to give to him, without condition, without reservation, absolutely: as Aspasia might have rendered her charms to Pericles. She dressed quickly, singing lowly. Fate makes us the happiest when she is about to crush us.

Usually she had her breakfast served in the room, but this morning she was determined to go downstairs. She was excited; she brimmed with exuberance; she wanted Romance to begin at once.

"Good morning," she greeted the consul-general, who was breakfasting alone.

"Well, you're an early bird!" he replied. "Elsa you are certainly beautiful."

"Honestly?" with real eagerness.

"Honestly. And how you have gone all these years without marrying a grand duke, is something I can't figure out."

"Perhaps I have been waiting for the man. There was no real hurry."

"Lucky chap, when you find him. By the way, our romantic Parrot & Co. have gone."

"Gone?" Elsa stared at him.

"Yes. Sailed for Saigon at dawn."

"Saigon," she repeated.

"And I am rather glad to see him go. I was afraid he might interest you too much. You'll deny it, but you'll never outgrow the fairy-story age."

"Saigon."

"Good heavens, Elsa, what is the matter?"

"No, no! Don't touch me. I'm not the fainting kind. Did you know last night that he was going?"

"Yes."

"I shall never forgive you."

"Why, Elsa . . . ."

"Never, never! You knew and did not tell me. Do you know who Paul Ellison is? He is the brother of the man at home. You knew he was stealing away and did not tell me."

She could not have made the truth any plainer to him. He sat back in his chair, stunned, voiceless.

"I am going to my room," she said. "Do not follow. Please act as if nothing had happened."

He saw her walk bravely the length of the dining room, out into the office. What a misfortune! Argument was out of the question. Elsa was not a child, to be reasoned with. She was a woman, and she had come to a woman's understanding of her heart. To place before her the true angles of the case, the heartless banishment from the world she knew, the regret which would be hers later, no matter how much she loved the man . . . He pushed back his chair, leaving his coffee untasted.

He possessed the deep understanding of the kindly heart, and this one thought was Elsa's future happiness. As men go, Warrington was an honorable man; honorable enough to run away rather than risk the danger of staying where Elsa was. He was no longer an outlaw; he could go and come as he would. But there was that misstep, not printed in shifting sand but upon the granite of recollection. Single, he could go back to his world and pick up the threads again, but not with a wife at his side. Oh, yes; they would be happy at first. Then Elsa would begin to miss the things she had so gloriously thrown away. The rift in the lute; the canker in the rose. They were equally well-born, well-bred; politeness would usurp affection's hold. Could he save her from the day when she would learn Romance had come from within? No. All he could do was to help her find the man.

He sent five cablegrams to Saigon, to the consulate, to the principal hotels: the most difficult composition he had ever attacked. But because he had forgotten to send the sixth to meet the packet-boat, against the possibility of Warrington changing his mind and not landing, his labor was thrown to the winds.

Meantime Elsa stopped at the office-desk. "I left a note for Mr. Warrington who has gone to Saigon. I see it in his key-box. Will you please return it to me?"

The clerk did not hesitate an instant. He gravely returned the note to her, marveling at her paleness. Elsa crushed the note in her hand and moved toward the stairs, wondering if she could reach her room before she broke down utterly. He had gone. He had gone without knowing that all he wanted in life was his for the taking. In her room she opened the note and through blurred vision read what she had so hapily inscribed the night before. "Paul—I love you. Come to me. Elsa." She had written it, unashamed.

She flung herself upon the bed, and there Martha found her.

"Elsa, child, what is it?" Martha cried, kneeling beside the bed. "Child what has happened?"

Elsa sat up, seized Martha by the shoulders and stared into the faithful eyes.

(To be Continued.)

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25c Flowered and Striped Crepes, at the yard **12½c**

Egyptian Tissues, always sold at 25c and 35c, at the yard **19c**

50c White Pique in five different welts, at the yard **29c**

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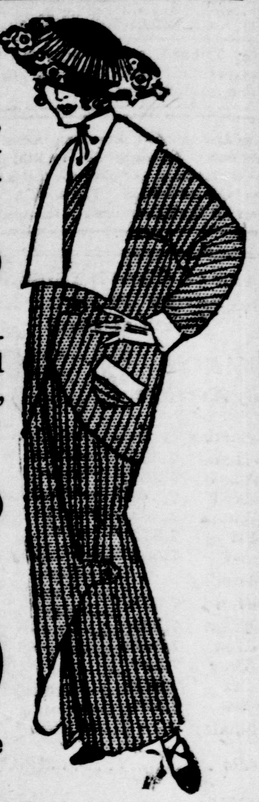
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INCIDENT SHOWS MEXICAN TRAITS

Careless Cruelty and Savage Fanaticism Part of Mexican Character

BY WILLIAM G. SHEPHERD.
(Staff correspondent of the United Press.)

MEXICO CITY, April 24.—Three Mexicans were hanging upon crosses, tied with ropes, in a small interior town, at Easter time, two years ago. It was the annual passion play of the village and the citizens were gathered around the crosses, lamenting over the dying Christ, who was personified by the man on the middle cross and cursing, in real round oaths the two thieves who were hung on either side.

The Mexicans, in the story of the two thieves, do not understand the moral of Christ offering redemption to the outcast pair at the last moment; instead, they believe that the thieves were placed beside Christ to make his death the more ignominious. And so, in all village passion plays, the thieves come in for a vast amount of execrations.

Strikes Bound Actor

In this particular instance the crowd, in its hatred of the thieves, got into a white hot revival heat against the thieves and one Mexican, a little drunker than the rest, suddenly shouted:

"Rateros, rateros," meaning "thieves, thieves," and dashed out from the crowd with a stick which he jabbed into the ribs of the innocent actor on the cross.

"Let me alone," shouted the tied up actor. "I am only acting. I am Juan Lopez and you know me well." His voice could not be heard above the clamor. The excited crowd only cheered on the man with the stick who gave the actor another thrust. The other thief began to shout for the police and the actor impersonating Christ joined in the declaration of the now injured "thief" that they were only acting.

"Thief" Faints

After another thrust or two the "thief" fainted and when the crowd saw that he really had been injured they quieted down enough so that the voice of the actor impersonating the Christ could be heard:

"Fools!" he shouted. "You have killed him. Let me down. I will not be the Christ any longer."

He was untied and the first thing he did when he got to the ground was to give a sound beating to the man with the stick. In the meantime the unconscious actor was taken down from the cross and removed to the village doctor's office. Two weeks in bed was the penalty he paid for his realistic acting.

There hasn't been an Easter passion play in this village for the past two years, for the simple reason that no one is willing to take the part of the thief.

Indian Childish

The childishness of the Mexican Indian—and there are 12,000,000 of him in Mexico, as against 4,000,000 real Mexicans—is illustrated at Easter time, by the manner in which he understands the Easter story.

His whole idea is not to mourn the death of Christ so much as to express his hatred of the men who brought it about. Good Friday, which in other lands is a day of mourning, is given over, by the Mexican, to showing his hatred of Judas.

Many thousands of tissue paper figures of Judas are sold in the cities and villages. These effigies are "lynched" in a village street, with great shouting and jeers. Then, for hours afterwards, men and boys throw sticks and stones at the effigies until they are torn to bits.

In the camps of all the soldiers Friday and Saturday before Easter, whether the soldiers were rebels or federals, it is safe to say that fighting was forgotten for a space of time, in order to give the Mexican an opportunity to give vent to hatred of Judas Iscariot.

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SHEPHERD SCORES A WORLD SCOOP

Mexico City United Press Correspondent Is Four Hours Ahead with Vera Cruz Story

The rarest of newspaper accomplishments, a world scoop is scored to the credit of William G. Shepherd, staff correspondent of the United Press at Mexico City, who at 3:10 p. m. (Eastern t ime) Tuesday, more than four hours ahead of any other newspapermen, gave to the world the news that American marines had landed in Vera Cruz, and that the opening fight of the second war with Mexico was on. The achievement, which resulted in the state department at Washington getting its first news of the battle of Vera Cruz from the United Press, will go down in newspaper history as one of the greatest "scoops" of the generation.

Used Private Code

The beat was made possible, despite the Mexican censorship which for all other newspaper men was air tight, by resort to a simple private code employed by Shepherd and the New York office of the United Press. An innocent appearing message, relative to the shipment of some photographic films, addressed by Shepherd to a private address in New York did the trick, and while the correspondents of the other news agencies and newspapers in Mexico City were fuming over their inability to get their dispatches past the censor, United Press papers the country over were printing the news of the landing and attacking Vera Cruz. During this time rival agencies were seeking to discredit the story.

Hours before any rival agency had succeeded in getting a word or information through a second code message came through from Shepherd giving the first details of the actual fighting and of the course pursued by Admiral Fletcher's landing party. This second message was later supplemented by a message from Vera Cruz directly, where for several hours previous the resident correspondent of the United Press and all other correspondents had been trying in vain to get a message past the censor.

Shepherd's scoop, closely following his almost equally important one of last week—when he made the exclusive announcement that Huerta was going deliberately to force the United States to intervene—was the fifth beat scored by the United Press in six days, the other three events being the sending of the battleship fleet to Tampico, the attempted assassination of Mayor Mitchel of New York, and President Wilson's now famous "Until 6 p. m. Sunday" ultimatum."

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WOOD NO LONGER CHIEF OF STAFF

Army Commander's Term Ends and He Heads Department of the East

WASHINGTON, April 24.—The man whom Roosevelt dubbed "bully good soldier" and whom he advanced because of that belief in his ability, even though he was not a West Pointer, stepped down from the highest active position in the army Wednesday. He was Major General Leonard Wood, until today chief of staff of the army. Wood's four year term as the chief executive officer for the army automatically expired Wednesday. He immediately becomes chief of the department of the east, with headquarters at Governor's Island, New York—the choicest post in the army. W. W. Witherspoon, former assistant chief of staff, succeeds to Wood's post.

Wood's rise in the army has been spectacular. He was first heard of as colonel of the famous Rough Riders. He was a physician and a army surgeon, a man of extraordinary personal magnetism. Roosevelt picked him as an ideal type of commander. Personally he and Wood were cronies. Wood rode horseback like a centaur; so did Roosevelt. The Rough Riders waxed famous after Santiago, and Wood also. He was called into the regular army and went ahead by leaps and bounds. His rapid promotion was the cause of considerable comment in the army, and was accentuated by the old fight between the "line and staff." As a surgeon in the army, Wood was of the staff faction. His rise to power made the West Pointers and others of the "line" faction peevish. But most of them were today willing to admit that the "physician" has done more for the army in his four years as chief of staff than any other one individual.

Not only did Wood have to buck opposition from the army, but he made powerful foes in congress by his firm stand in favor of abolition of a dozen or more army posts. The army posts have largely been distributed in the past as political favors rather than by strategic choice. It helped a congressman or a senator have a post in his district. But it resulted in the army being scattered all over the country. General Wood came out for mobilization of the standing forces into half a dozen—no more—concentration posts. He wanted to abandon isolated garrisons and keep the army near big centers.

Wood's greatest achievement as the head of the army was the development of the militia as an authorized auxiliary of the regular army. He has persistently boosted the "reserve enlistment" plan.

The retiring chief of staff is a fine figure of a man. He is over six feet in height, has the neck, arms and trunk of a gladiator, a face that is firm and purposeful, and makes a figure in the saddle like Mars himself. He walks with a slight limp, due to an injury.

Stimulant Required.

Ethel—Man proposes—

Marie—Yes, but he needs encouragement.—Boston Transcript.

DRAW JURY LIST FOR MAY TERM

The jury list for the May term of the circuit court was drawn as follows by the jury commissioners yesterday: I. Tippmann, 114 N. 5th; J. Bettin, 1701 Badger; Max L. Cimenski, 920 Main; L. A. Gilfilan, Bangor; E. H. Moss, Town of Burns; N. Amundson, 1503 Mississippi; William Gilster, Campbell; Frank M. Stetzer, Town of Farmington; J. R. Capper, West Salem; J. P. Christell, 205 South Seventh; Joseph Wanless, Town of Farmington; Ernest Wilkee, Bangor; H. C. Hart, 122 North Seventh; M. E. Brandt, Bangor; Charles Pavek, 819 Ferry; Frank Farnum, 523 Caledonia; R. Lowry, 1453 Wood; Carl Piska, Town of Burns; Alex Sheridan, 509 North Seventh; Joseph Otto, 1337 Charles; M. Johnson, City of Onalaska; George Egelberg, 144 South Sixth; W. Gullickson, Town of Hamilton; Henry Hanson, Onalaska; Louis Runckel, 147 South Seventh; Ole C. Olson, City of Onalaska; William Bummert, 1025 Zeisler; J. P. Salzer, 133 South Fourteenth; Charles Marking, 1408 Logan; Fritz Holer, Town of Barre; Henry Wieger, 611 South Third; Olaf Snueggerad, Onalaska; David Wood, Bangor; Robert Paisley, Town of Farmington; H. Affeldt, 909 South Third and William John, Town of Greenfield.

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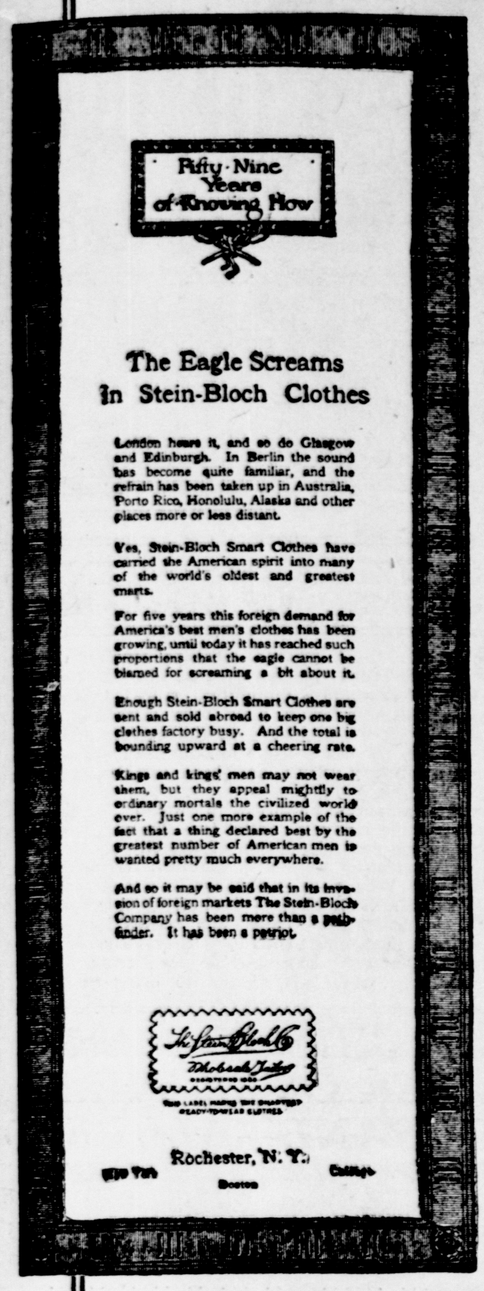
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Arthur Clamage, as Augustave Schott, mistaken by all for the king of Patagonia, is the cause of many funny situations, and keeps the audience screaming with laughter. Miss Virginia Stuart as the Blue Widow, is as clever as she is charming, her sweet voice making her an instantaneous favorite with the audience. Louise La Booth was well received in her several clever singing and dancing numbers. Al Zimmerman, as Major Sullivan, helped to keep the audience in a good humor.

One of the features of the show is a real Texas Tommy dance by the Barbary Coast Four, composed of Anna Davis, Florrie Germaine, Jess Weiss and Frank Cary.

A particularly well trained and well drilled chorus rounded out a very enjoyable performance.

Arthur Camage and his company will present "The Girl from Luxemburg" the first half of next week.

DISCUSS "BABY HYGIENE"

WASHINGTON, April 24.—"Baby hygiene," the care and bringing up of infants, and other similar matters were discussed today at the second day's sessions of the National congress of Mothers' and Parents' Teachers' association. One speaker asserted that lack of knowledge of baby hygiene, means the sacrificing of 300,000 babies annually.

It was pointed out that every neglected, wrongly treated child becomes a menace to the state; that neglected childhood exists wherever the principles of successful child nature and child treatment are not understood, and that the future of every nation rests on comprehensive, well considered provisions for the care of children. With parental knowledge of baby hygiene, it was declared, the mortality can be reduced seventy-five per cent, and the number of children sent to reformatories, prisons and similar institutions reduced to the minimum.

ENGLISH HONOR ST. GEORGE

LONDON, April 24.—Patriotic Englishmen were the rose today and "ever on topmost tower the banner of England flew" in honor of St. George's day. The day was not kept as a public holiday but the Society of St. George and other patriotic institutions arranged banquets in all parts of the country. The knights of the Order of St. Michael and St. George attended service at St. George's chapel.

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Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

Leaves Uncle Sam Flat

NEW YORK, April 24—Uncle Sam will have to go it alone in raising money for a Mexican war. Leon Liebowitz, who was helping, was sent to the workhouse for "soliciting funds to raise a volunteer regiment."

Say Polygamy is Only Human

NEW YORK.—Admitting that Joseph Smith, Mormon church head, openly practices polygamy, Hagbert Anderson and W. T. Monson, Mormon church officials declared it was "only human nature."

Barrel Stave Ultimatum Wins

SOUTH ORANGE, N. J.—Aided by barrel staves strategically applied and in the hands of fellow students, John Duque, was forced to climb a flag pole and salute the stars and stripes.

Enlists to Spite Mother-in-law

CHICAGO. — "My mother-in-law don't want me to enlist; I'm going to get her goat," said one man who applied at the army recruiting office.

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HONOR EVA JOLIVETTE

Miss Eva Jolivette, a sister of the county clerk, has been awarded a zoology scholarship at the University of Wisconsin, according to word received here today.

"PURE CLOTHES" FIGHT HIS PET

BY BERTON K. STANDISH.
(Written for the United Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Representative Lindquist is a Michigan republican and a mail order man. Several years ago, he was "trimmed" in buying clothes. That is the reason that today he is a congressman, and that explains, too, why he is the father of the Lindquist "pure fabrics" bill, and moreover, why his office looks like a hotel sample room.

To begin at the beginning, Lindquist, as was said before, was "taken in" in buying clothes for his mail order business. That made him angry—and it made him think that if he with his experience, could be flimflammed, the great American people must be similarly defrauded every day. That gave him an idea that legislation could correct the evils of pseudo "all wool" clothing.

Was Laughed At

So he went down to the politicians in his district and told them that he thought the candidate they put up for congress ought to agree to take a whack at the high cost of living by fostering a pure fabrics bill. The politicians looked at him in surprise—not to say disgust. "Why, in heaven's name, what does pure fabrics have to do with congress?" they snorted at him, as they practically told him that they'd endorse nothing of the sort. Lindquist thought pure fabrics had much to do with congress.

He put letters into his outgoing mail order business, asking his clients what they thought about one F. O. Lindquist for congress on a "pure clothes" platform. The replies showed that they thought right well of said Lindquist. He ran. He was elected. He put in his pure clothes bill.

It's still in congress—sleeping peacefully before the democratic interstate commerce committee, because, as Lindquist believes, a group of democrats wouldn't take any action that would rebound to the benefit of a republican.

But Lindquist has devised a new weapon. He is still in the mail order business, and he still believes in "pitiless publicity." Consequently every letter that he sends out bears a little poster, asking the recipient to write his congressman in favor of the Lindquist bill. More than a million of the flyers have gone out over the land to date, and a day never passes without some congressman coming to Lindquist to beg him to cut out this plan.

"Get the democrats to do something with my bill, and I'll let up," he calmly replies. But this explanation hasn't let light into the reason for the "sample room" effect of his office.

When he began to agitate for the benefit of the American clothes wearers, Lindquist found out some things that even with his wide experience, proved to be startling. Silk goods loaded with tin solution—leather made out of cotton—silk socks made of gun cotton—those and other deceptions practiced every day in the year made him sit up and take notice.

He remarked to a caller a few days ago:

"Look at this shoe." The counter was cut away. "That's a paper counter," he remarked. "As soon as it gets wet, the rear of the shoe is gone."

Then he proceeded to dissect it. The heel was made of "leatherine" or some such substitute. That shoe commanded good prices in the market and enjoyed a good reputation, but taken at its face value it wasn't worth more than about one dollar.

Next Lindquist flashed a piece of beautiful green "silk." "Just poke your finger into that," he remarked. The finger went through the article like paper. He explained that the goods were "loaded" with a tin solution which cheapened the product and made it wear out fast although the wearer had to pay regular silk prices. Lastly he produced a bolt of "silk.' "That's gun cotton," he explained. "That is what a lot of silk hose are made from." These were just a few of his exhibits.

"I feel that with a law such as I propose, the American people could live more cheaply than they do now," he said. "If they wanted these shoddy goods they could get them at shoddy prices, instead of the fancy rates they now pay, and if they wanted real wool, real leather, real silk, they could have them for the rates that generally prevail for adulterated goods. But at any rate, they'd get what they paid for."

In conclusion, Lindquist said that if the bill ever comes out of its democratic hiding place, it will be fought by a real lobby. He showed letters and trade paper clippings, demonstrating that the wholesale and retail clothiers are bitterly opposed to a law which would force them to label their goods with a definite statement of the contents, and indicating that they would fight such legislation to a finish.

SPOTLIGHTS

"DAMAGED GOODS"

Richard Bennett and the original New York company of co-workers come to the La Crosse theater on Monday night, April 27, in Eugene Brieux's great sociological drama, "Damaged Goods,' which has created wider interest than any other play produced on the American stage within the last decade. The New York Times has described it as the play which initiates a new epoch of civilization.

'Damaged Goods" is a powerful purpose drama and deals with a subject of the social evil and its related "social diseases," subjects hitherto considered tabooed not only for the stage but for the pulpit and the press, but the sincerity and startling frankness of its treatment and the earnestness with which Mr. Bennett and his co-workers interpret Brieux's play, rob it of all unhealthy sensationalism and cause it to be accepted as a profound moral lesson.

The story concerns a young man who is about to be married. He goes to his physician for an examination and learns that he is afflicted with a terrible blood taint; he is warned that marriage would be a crime but the young egotist insists upon the ceremony, not only because he loves the girl but because he needs her dowry. In the second act the happy home of the young man is revealed to the audience. Dupont is jubilant over the arrival of a daughter. Almost immediately, however, the pall of the great red plague settles down upon them. The baby has been visited with the sins of the father. In a scene of pitiful tragedy, the young man realizes the enormity of his crime against his innocent wife and helpless child.

Eugene Brieux, the author, has been called by many the "Ibsen of France," but the comparison is inept for Ibsen only shows the gloomy side of life, while Brieux is an optimist.

In the third act of "Damaged Goods" he holds out hope for the future, not only hope for the persons of his play, but for humanity as a whole, so that the audience leaves the theater stirred to action in an effort to stamp out a great social evil.

JOVIAN ORDER MEETS

FOND DU LAC, Wis., April 24.—About seventy-five members of the Jovian order met here today for their state convention. Sessions are being held at the Palmer house. The Jovian order is composed of men conected with the electrical business. An elaborate banquet at the Palmer house will be one of the features of the meeting.

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LAWRENCE A. WRIGHT

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FEAR FOR THOSE IN INTERIOR

Persons in Stretch Between Tampico and Monterey Are in the Greatest Danger

MAY SEND RELIEF COLUMN

He Has Full Authority to Rush Marines Into the Interior to Assist Foreigners

WASHINGTON, April 24.—All foreigners, especially Americans, are being rushed out of Mexico. The administration, its fears for Charge O'Shaughnessy's safety relieved, was today bending every effort to get Americans to safety before the war storm breaks. Consular agents have been notified to spare no expense and that they must see that no Americans disregard instructions to leave.

The greatest fears are entertained for the Americans in the stretch of territory eastward from Monterey to Tampico and in the vicinity of Chihuahua. Part of this territory is held by constitutionalists, but most of it by Huerta's forces.

All along the route of the big oil concessions of the Waters-Pierce company in northeast Mexico are American men, women and children who have disregarded previous warnings to get out. It is said that they may be attacked by infuriated Mexicans who have learned of the fighting at Vera Cruz.

Admiral Mayo at Tampico understands this and it was believed that he is ready to act. He has full authority to take action needed. He can land marines and bluejackets and rush them into the interior to bring foreigners out where the guns of his warships can protect them.

Another danger point is the territory along the line of the Tehuantepec railway, peopled by foreigners. It is believed that warships have already been sent south to take possession of the railway terminals.

CALIFORNIA SENDS TROOPS TO BORDER

State Militiamen Go to the Line to Protect Water Supply of San Diego from Mexicans

SEVEN COMPANIES TAKE FIELDS

Two Batteries of State Coast Artillery, Naval Reserves and Four Infantry Companies Go

SAN DIEGO, Cal. April, 24.—Two companies of state coast artillery and a company of naval reserves were ordered out at 5 a. m. yesterday to guard the San Diego water system along the Mexican border.

Governor Johnson ordered the militiamen out following the receipt of dozens of telegrams stating that the water system was in danger of attack by Mexicans.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 23.—Four companies of the Seventh regiment, California National guard, are being mobilized at their armory here following the receipt of orders from Adjutant General Forbes. Col. Schreiber, commanding the regiment, was ordered to arrange for a special train to move the troops to the Mexican border "with the greatest celerity."

MEXICANS DESERT BORDER

LAREDO, Texas, April 24—The entire city of Nuevo Laredo, across the river, is being excavated by the Mexican federal soldiers and inhabitants. General Quintania today ordered five hundred federals and volunteers to leave for Saltillo and asked all Mexican citizens to accompany the soldiers. The train carrying the soldiers and citizens will leave this afternoon.

ORDER MC ARTHUR TO GET MEN FOR HOSPITAL CORPS

Regimental Surgeon Is Instructed to Secure Enlistments to Augment Those at Viroqua

MILITIA APPOINTS CUSTODIANS

Companies M and B Name Men Who Will Care for Company Property in Case of Call

RECRUITING FULL WAR STRENGTH

Holway Says Wisconsin Guard Will Be on War Footing in Few Days and Ready to Entrain

MAJOR D. S. M'ARTHUR, LA CROSSE, SURGEON OF THE THIRD REGIMENT, WISCONSIN NATIONAL GUARD, TODAY RECEIVED ORDERS FROM ADJJUTANT GENERAL ORLANDO HOLWAY TO ENLIST SIXTEEN MEN FOR THE HOSPITAL CORPS TO SUPPLEMENT THE HOSPITAL CORPS AT VIROQUA, WIS.

CAPTAINS BRADLEY AND FOWLER OF B AND M COMPANIES TODAY RECEIVED ORDERS TO RECRUIT TO FULL WAR STRENGTH AND TO PREPARE THE LOCAL ARMORIES SO, IN CASE THE COMPANIES ARE CALLED OUT AND HAVE TO AWAIT MOVING ORDERS, THE MEN CAN SLEEP AND EAT IN THE BARRACKS.

The first intimation of a possible call for state troops came from the adjutant general Tuesday when orders were received for both companies M and B to appoint a custodian to have charge of the armory and the company funds in the event the militia is called upon to leave the state.

B. C. Smith has been selected by Captain F. H. Fowler of M company. Captain J. M. Bradley, B company, said today he had made no selection but would soon.

On War Footing.

In an interview today Adjutant General Holway said that the national guard of the state is being placed on a war footing, so that in case a call comes to go to Mexico, they will be ready.

"A few days ago," said General Holway, "we sent out orders to all of the companies to accept tentative enlistments. There have been a great number of these since that time. The peace strength of the guard companies is sixty-five men. We are taking enlistments up to the war strength of 108 men. Then if the call comes the full strength will be ready. No word has been received from Washington, but we want to be ready if it does come."

Manual Extracts Out.

Extracts from the manual for non-commissioned officers and privates have been printed and sent to all the companies. They contain information on making camp, marching, and loading of wagons.

LOAD VESSELS WITH REFUGEES ALONG COAST

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Admiral Mayo, in command at Tampico, wired the state department that there are now on board American refugees. More are expected tomorrow and they will be placed aboard merchant ships. Captains of the German and British cruisers in that port are aiding in the handling of refugees.

Admiral Badger alsao wired from Vera Cruz that he is sending the Esperanza, the chartered ward liner, with about 400 refugees to Galveston. The Esperanza will then return for more passengers.

Admiral Badger will charter the steamer Mexico today and send her to Tampico with the Cyclops, a collier, to transport other refugees to Galveston. Another rescue ship will be sent to Tuxpam. Admiral Badger estimated that the number of refugees arriving at Galveston will probably reach 2,000.

MINERS RETALIATE PEN OPERATORS IN BLAZING BUILDINGS

Savageness Marks Reprisal of Strikers for Death of Their Women and Children at Ludlow

PREPARE TO FIGHT THE MILITIA

Big Force Gathers Along Railway to Turn Back Reinforcements to Troops

SEAL 35 PERSONS IN BURNING PIT

Strikers Reported Standing at Head of Shaft Threatening Death to All Making Rescue Attempts

TRINIDAD, Col., April 24.—Thirty-five persons, including five women and three children, reported trapped in the blazing shaft house of the Empire Coal company's mine at Empire, near Aguilar, are in grave danger of death, according to telephone advices from there at an early hour today. Twenty-five persons in the shaft of the Southwestern mine at Aguilar are said to be facing a similar fate.

Matthew Waddell, son of the superintendent, and his wife; Ray Wiswald, his wife and baby, and three other women and two children whose names are not available are said to be in the mine at Empire.

Late dispatches say 1,000 armed strikers are gathering at Aguilar and along the line of the Colorado & Southern railroad to cut off relief to the two mines, and to halt a troop train at Denver with reinforcements.

The burning of the Empire and Aguilar properties followed a day never paralleled in the history of American industrial warfare.

The burning of the Empire mine followed a clash early Wednesday between mine guards and southwestern Colorado strikers. Operators' representatives here accuse the strikers of throwing dynamite bombs and sealing the mouths of the mine against escape by the 35 persons imprisoned within. H. D. Kink, one of the owners, telephoned early today that the slope of the shaft had been destroyed and that the air shaft was the only path to safety. He asserted that 500 armed strikers surround the blazing pit firing into it and that the imprisoned persons include President Sipple of the mining company, living in Denver. He charges that strikers have asked him to remember how the women and children died at Ludlow and have threatened to "shoot anyone who goes to the rescue."

Operators early today said they had reports that six local properties are burning including the Victor-American Fuel company's Hastings and Delagaua mines; and the Green Canon mine of the National Fuel company.

Scores are homeless and missing and scores are reported hurt while on the hills, strikers await the coming of troops ordered from Denver and other northern Colorado points by acting Governor Fitzgerald last night.

FIRE DAMAGE $500

Fire Wednesday afternoon damaged the residence of Mrs. C. A. Button, 1608 Charles street, to the amount of $500. It is thought that the fire started from a defective chimney. Mrs. Button was in the back yard when the fire started, and did not notice it until it had gained considerable headway. The partitions and ceiling were burned through in a number of places.

TO ARM HOME GUARDS

AUSTIN, Texas, April 34. Governor Colquitt today gave official recognition to the many home guard companies that are being organized to protect the Texas border, by agreeing to provide them with arms and other equipment. The anti-American feeling among the Mexicans is very strong and appeals are being received by the governor from every town and community between El Paso and Brownsville for militia protection. The home guards are to be used for this purpose instead of the national guard, the latter being held under arms in readiness to respond to a call for mobilization by the federal war department.

TWENTY-NINE LACROSSE MEN IN U. S. SERVICE

In Addition to Five Commissioned Officers Twenty-four Serve on Sea and Land

SEVERAL NOW IN FIGHTING ZONE

Three with Fleet and Three with Troops of Uncle Sam in Texas on the Mexican Border

SEVERAL ARE IN THE PHILIPPINES

However Majority Are In United States and Likely to See Service in Mexican War

In addition to its five commissioned officers, La Crosse and vicinity has a total of twenty-four men in the army and navy of the United States, making a total of twenty-nine in the federal service.

Of the five enlisted men, Ensign F. C. Beisel, Jr., and Lieutenant Walter Heiberg are graduates of the naval school at Annapolis, while Capt. E. E. Heiberg and Lieut. Loren Lawson are West Pointers. Capt. Brooks Shuman was an officer of Company M and won his stripes by distinguished service in the Philippines.

Of the twenty-four privates and seamen six are already in or nearing the fighting zone: Otto Molzahn, with the Utah at Vera Cruz, and Louis Harget, Charles H. Schwertfeger and Edwin Frederickson with the troops on the Texas border; Robert E. Brown, cruiser San Francisco, Tampico; Floyd Peterson, battleship South Dakota, enroute from Bremerton to Pacific coast of Mexico.

As near as can be learned the identity and distribution of the La Crosse men in the army and navy is as follows:

In the army:

Pope Robare, 407 North Seventeenth street, 27th cavalry, stationed at the Jefferson barracks, St. Louis.

Joe Engelhard, 630 North Seventh street, in Company E of the First regiment of the marines, at Olonpago, Philippine Islands.

Edgar R. Manning,1506 Travis street, sergeant in the quartermaster corps, Honolulu, Hawaii. Manning has been in the army for the past three years.

Louis Harget, 1610 Badger street, in Company M, 28th infantry, at Galveston, Texas. Harget has been in the army for six years and is now serving in his second enlistment.

Charles H. Schwertfeger, 2311 Michel street, Texas infantry.

Roy Flannagan, 714 South Seventh street, regular infantry, whereabouts unknuown.

Larocque Dornbach, 528 Cass street, Ft. Gregg, Philippine Islands, for the last four years, now serving his second enlistment.

James C. Weldenberger, Midway, with the infantry of the regular army.

William D. Birreshdorn, enlisted from 303 South Third street, in the infantry of the regular army.

James G. Woodman, Cassville, with the signal corps of the regular army.

William E. Pagel, Houston county, Minn., infantry.

Carl Howard, Tomah, Wis., field artillery.

Soren Clausen, Bangor, coast artillery.

Douglas Nelson, Viroqua, Wis., infantry.

Bruno Hayes, infantry.

Mural Tyler, Prairie du Chien, field artillery.

Clayton Blanchard, 1003 Caledonia street, with Troop K, cavalry, Fort Mead, South Dakota.

Harold Hall, 1427 Avon street, with Troop I, 12th cavalry, Fort Mead, South Dakota.

Myrl Rand, Onalaska, cavalry.

Edwin Fredrickson, 812 Farnum street, infantry, New Orleans, probably now in or near Mexico.

In the navy—

Otto Molzahn, 609 North Fifteenth street, a marine on the battleship Utah, stationed at Vera Cruz.

Oscar Johnson, 416 Nofth Sixteenth street, marine, stationed at Bremerton, Wash.

Robert E. Brown, 1709 Prospect street, cruiser San Francisco, Tampico, now serving his second enlistment.

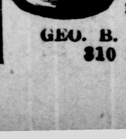
Floyd Peterson, marine, battleship South Dakota, at Bremerton, Wash., now bound for Mexico.

DENNIS MERCIER CALLED BY DEATH

Dennis Mercier, 87, for many years a blacksmith on Vine street, died at 3 p. m. Wednesday at the county poor farm.

Mr. Mercier was born near Montreal, Quebec, in 1827. He came to La Crosse during the civil war, setting up in the blacksmith shop now occupied by his brother, Eli Mercier, who is the only surviving relative. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon from Miller Brothers' chapel. Burial will be made in Oak Grove cemetery.

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Total of Twelve Men in American Uniforms Have Died in Chasing the Mexicans from Port

EXPECT MAAS TO TRY RECAPTURE

He Is Fifteen Miles from City with 1,000 Men and Is Expecting Reinforcements

LOST TRAIN GETS IN SAFELY

Cars with Refugees from Mexico City Finally Arrive Unharmed at Vera Cruz

BY BERNARD RUCKER
(Staff Correspondent United Press.)

VERA CRUZ, April 24.—Veraf Cruz was quiet yesterday with the armed forces of the United States preserving discipline among the city officials as well as the private citizens, but the marines and bluejackets who have faced the bullets of snipers for two days do not believe their work is near completion.

Twelve Killed

Twelve men wearing the uniform of the United States have been killed and thirty-nine have been wounded in the street fighting of Tuesday and Wednesday.

An attack on this important sea port in an effort to drive out the Americans would not surprise the men here.

General Maas, military governor of Vera Cruz, who fled from the city with the approach of the American marines, has been located at Tejeria, fifteen miles from Vera Cruz. He is said to have 1,000 men with him and expects reinforcements of 2,000 from Puebla.

Eight men were killed in the fighting yesterday. They were picked off by snipers who fired from the housetops or from behind corners.

No federal troops are in the town. In so far as the military in concerned the Americans have complete possession, but the men are in constant danger of being picked off by the natives of low caste.

Badger Takes Command

Rear Admiral Badger is now in command of the fleet in the harbor. Fletcher has appointed a complete staff and officials have been ordered to work under his direction. They have taken up their tasks with little evidence of good grace.

Fletcher expected today to receive word from Charge O'Shaughnessy, who has been given his passports in Mexico City, as to his arrival here.

Huerta has washed his hands of the territory immediately surrounding Vera Cruz, according to advices here. Trains will be furnished American refugees who wish to leave Mexico City and efforts will be made to see that they get out of the capital safely. On arriving within ten miles of Vera Cruz, however, the dictator will expect the American forces to see to the safety of the trains and passengers.

Huerta Talks Big

Reports here declare that Huerta has stated he will have 400,000 men in the field within twenty days. He is quoted as having declared that Mexico is "not only defending her national sovereignty but that of all Latin-America."

The trains which were "lost" between Mexico City and Vera Cruz have arrived here.

The 3,000 marines and bluejackets now in the city today turned with as much vigor as they showed in fighting, to work of peace in directing a cleaning up of that section of town in which the fighting occurred. A heavy detachment equipped with machine and field guns still occupied the main plaza today.

American Women Busy.

Most of the Americans who were quartered in the Hotel Deligencia on the main plaza, were aboard the refuge ship Esperanza today, but many stories of heroism of the women during the fighting yesterday are being told by the officers in command. The American women carried water to the wounded Americans and Mexicans alike, and when many were brought into the hotel the women acted as nurses, binding up wounds.

Mrs. Charles R. Hudson, wife of the vice president of the Mexican National railway, and Mrs. Thomas J. Ryder, wife of the manager of the Cowdray Oil interests; Mrs. Harry Archer and Mrs. Mary Crow took an active part in the work of the women. They were busy during a greater part of the day nursing wounded Mexicans. When the firing began the guests in the hotel left the rooms on the street and remained in inside rooms so that all escaped injury.

Jackie Kills Pal

Becoming excited when he saw a man approaching him while on sentry duty, a bluejacket shot and killed one of his fellow countrymen engaged in the occupation of Vera Cruz last night. This was learned today, but as the shooting was purely accidental, th nemes of the men were not given out here. The man killed was a member of the marines. The bluejacket fired only one shot, but that was fatal.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—By nightfall, acording to Secretary the Navy Daniels, it will be possible for the Americans to have a garrison of 5,000 marines and sailors ashore at Vera Cruz. There are now 3,300 on land and it is possible to put off 1,700 more.

Tonight the transport Mississippi with 500 additional marines will reach Vera Cruz. There are also on the way from Philadelphia 800 more marine on the chartered steamer Moro Castle.

RAIL EMPLOYES CLOSE.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 24.—The biennial convention of the International Railwaymen's department of the American Federation of Labor ended yesterday afternoon here. The body will meet April 13, 1916, in a city the national executive council will select. All of the officers for the last term were re-elected yesterday. They are: A. O. Wharton, St. Louis, president; Geo. W. Pring, Des Moines, vice president, and John Scott, St. Louis, secretary-treasurer.

ORDER FLEET OUT

WASHINGTON, April 24.—The third division of the Atlantic fleet now at Boston was ordered yesterday to sail for Mexico on April 25.

4,000 WOMEN SIGN AS NURSES

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Women in all walks of life are volunteering by hundreds to serve as nurses in the field, according to an announcement made by the Red Cross headquarters today. Already more than 4,000 have been enrolled, which gives the Red Cross more than are likely to be required. From these will be selected women who have already had experience as nurses, as the war department will accept no others.

IT'S MEN LIKE THESE UNCLE SAM'S SOLDIERS MAY HAVE TO SHOOT DOWN



HUERTA SEIZES ARMS INTENDED FOR DEFENSE OF AMERICANS

NEW YORK, April 24.—A private message received here today from Mexico City declares that the government has established a strict censorship and that the arms and a mmunition stored in the American embassy for the use of the American s have been seized by Huerta. A company of federals was placed on g uard at the embassy, the message stated. The excuse given for remov ing the American arms is said to have been that since a military guar d had been established they would not be needed.

No definite word of an actual ou tbreak in Mexico City has been received here, but the private message stated that Americans were gathering in great number in the central p ortion of the city and it was feared an anti-American demonstration was being planned. Americans have been bitterly denounced since Vera Cruz was taken, it was stated, and it was believed they were safe from insult or actual attack only in the embassy.

Only recently a consignment of rifles was received in Mexico City for use by the Americans in case of t rouble. General Huerta refused at first to admit the arms, but after co nsiderable negotiating on the part of Charge O'Shaughnessy he obtained p ermission to bring them in.

STATE FIGHTING MEN NUMBER OVER THREE THOUSAND—ALL READY

Wisconsin's military strength is the following:

Three regiments infantry	2,762
One separate battalion infantry	265
One cavalry troop	72
One field artillery	84
Hospital corps	51
Naval militia, one battalion	158
Grand total	3,393

Wisconsin's "fighting department" also includes a troop of cavalry at Milwaukee and a battery there.

One battalion of naval militia at Ashland is composed of 158 men.

CHEER WAR NEWS AT EAGLE FEAST

Most Stirring Demonstration of Patriotism Witnessed in City Takes Place at Banquet

500 STAND AND SING NATIONAL AIR

Judge Karel Presents Fred Hartwell and Chas. Dittman with Life Memberships in Order

A demonstration of patriotism, the most stirring witnessed in La Crosse since the Mexican war appeared over the horizon, took place at the banquet which officially opened the new Eagles' club rooms Wednesday, when 500 men rose to their feet, cheering and sang the "Star Spangled Banner" through, after hearing war dispatches.

The demonstration followed the reading of Tribune dispatches from Vera Cruz, recounting that eight American fighters had been killed in the occupation of the city. As the bulletin ended there was an instant's silence, and then Orchestra Leader John Kreutz swung his men into the national air. As one man the banqueters rose to their feet, shouting, and broke into the song.

The banquet last night was the most successful function given so far by Aerie 1254. The hall and gallery were crowded to hear the speakers, who included Judge John C. Karel, State President William Armstrong, State Secretary John Nichols, Dr. T. H. McGovern and Local Secretary C. S. Dittman.

A feature of the evening's entertainment was the presentation to Attorney Fred H. Hartwell, the toastmaster last night, and to Secretary Dittman, of life memberships in the order. The presentation was made by Judge Karel. Each of the recipients responded gracefuly to the ovation which followed announcement of the gifts.

WOULD USE FUNDS NOW

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Plans to make the appropriations of $142,000,000 in the annual naval bill immediately available for use because of the Mexican crisis were made today by the house naval committee. Several members, including democrats and republicans, agreed to take this unusual step, as the money would not be available until July 1 without the "emergency clause."

WISCONSIN WOMAN VICTIM OF STOMACH ILLS QUICKLY RESTORED

Mrs. Herbert Haire Gains Every Day After Taking Mayr's Wonderful Remedy

Mrs. Herbert Haire of Shawano, Wis., was a victim of stomach and digestive ailments. She tried many remedies and sought relief in many ways.

At last she decided to try Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy. The swift results astonished her. She wrote:

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Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy clears the digestive tract of mucoid accretions and removes poisonous matter. It brings swift relief to sufferers from stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Many declare it has saved them from dangerous operations and many are sure it has saved their lives.

Because of the remarkable success of this remedy there are many imitators, so be cautious. Be sure it's MAYR'S. Go to Hoeschler Bros'. drug store and ask about the wonderful results it has been accomplishing in cases they know—or send to Geo. H. Mayr, Mfg. Chemist, 154-156 Whiting St., Chicago, Ill., for free book on stomach ailments and many grateful letters from people who have been restored. Any druggist can tell you its wonderful efects.

HOPE U. S. CITIZENS WILL MAKE ESCAPE

President Declares that We Are Not Yet Actually at War with the Dictator

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon Secretary of State Bryan and Secretary of the Navy Daniels went into conference with the president in the executive office. Prior to the conference Bryan received a number of important code dispatches from Consular agents in Mexico. Boaz Long, head of the state department division of Latin-American afairs, was later summoned to the meeting.

President Wilson was very hopeful after the conference that not only O'Shaughnessy but all of t he Americans remaining in Mexico City would surely reach Vera Cruz Saturday.

No Blockade Yet

The president said absolutely nothing has been done toward the establishment of a blockade on either the east or west coast, with the exception of the occupation of Vera Cruz. The action of the United States up to the present time is confined entirely to reprisals on Huerta. Refugees were being taken to safety at Tampico and merchant vessels have been ordered out of the harbor, but this did not necessarily mean a blockade.

He explained that he could not outline any questions of policy because to do so would be unwise and would furnish the opposition badly needed information.

So far as the embargo on arms was concerned, the president contented himself with saying that there had been no official action. He was careful to emphasize official, and said when asked regarding the known holdup of certain arms at points on the border that the matter had not been brought to his attention, indicating that the local authorities were assuming responsibility.

Not War—Now

The president said that he has not yet been notified by Senor Algara what government Huerta will ask to look out for the affairs of the Mexican government here. The president carefully explained that so far as his authority was concerned a state of war with Mexico does not exist. He said that while a request for passports always precedes war, war does not always necessarily follow. But he indicated that a hostile declaration from Huerta was looked for.

The action of Huerta in handing O'Shaughnessy his passports came as a surprise to this government and has caused delay in making arrangements for another friendly power to represent us.

The Roman Forum.

The Forum Romanum, the first that was erected in Rome, served equally for the purpose of trade and all public meetings as well as for the administration of justice by the consuls and other Roman magistrates. Later on, when the fora numbered some eighteen or twenty, they were divided into two classes, some for public meetings and the proceedings of the law courts and others for the various requirements of trade. The Roman forum corresponded to the agora, or market place, of the Greeks, and no Roman city was without this important center of judicial, political and commercial life. — New York American.

SEAT OF TROUBLE COVERS 250 MILES

Frequent inquiries have been made as to distances between points of interest in Mexico. The following table was secured by using the scale of miles in an atlas, and the figures are accurate enough for practical purposes:

Vera Cruz to Mexico City	190
Tampico to Mexico City	200
Tampico to Vera Cruz	210
Chihuahua to Juarez and El Paso	210

IOWA CHURCHES MEET AT M'GREGOR

District Association of the Congregational Churches of Iowa Meet for Two Day Session

M'GREGOR, Iowa, April 23.—A majority of the churches in the district were represented at the meeting of the Northwestern Iowa association of Congregational churches held in this city Monday and Tuesday. The meeting was quite generally conceded to have been one of the best in the history of the association. The talks and addresses were of a very good average with a note of progressiveism and optimism dominating. Those of Rev. Milligan of Dubuque, Dr. Updike of Madison, Wis., and W. C. Barber of Des Moines, who for the past eight years has been superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league in Iowa, attracted especial attention. The recent announcement that Mr. Barber will be a candidate for lieutenant governor in the republican primaries on a platform asking for the repeal of the mulct law and a return to statutory prohibition in Iowa gave added interest to his address on the "Movement Toward National Prohibition." A resolution endorsing Mr. Barber's work and his stand on the liquor question in Iowa was introduced by Rev. Milligan and adopted by the association.

School Superintendent Honored

T. R. Roberts, superintendent of the McGregor schools, has been appointed president of the Big Five Teachers' association to succeed Superintendent Cherney of Guttenberg wha has gone to Independence and is no longer in the district. The Big Five association is composed of the teachers of the five most northeastern counties of the state. The annual meeting will be held this year at Decorah, May 1 and 2. The speakers will be Dr. Judd of the University of Chicago, Dr. Jessup of Iowa City, President R. W. Cooper of the Upper Iowa University, Superintendent Harris of Dubuque, Dr. Stout of Cornell colloge and Miss Hatcher of the State Normal at Cedar Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Marten have been the guests the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Donaldson. Mrs. Marten was formerly Miss Jeane Donaldson. They have been living for the past few years at Fargo, N. D., where Mr. Harten has been a member of the faculty of the state agricultural college. He has recently resigned the position to accept a professorship in the Montana agricultural college at Bozeman, Montana.

Attend Health Meeting

Mr. Frank Kinsley left for Des Moines, Monday evening to attend a meeting the Iowa Animal Health commission of which he is a member. He was accompanied by Mrs. C. Shepard, Deputy county auditor.

Mr. S. J. Peterson returned Tuesday from Pomona, Cal., where he has been spending the winter with his daughter, Miss Anna.

Mrs. C. W. Cowles of Minneapolis has been in town for several days, the guest of Mrs. Ellsworth and her brother Mr. Harry Hunting.

The government steamer Elinor passed down river Monday stopping opposite McGregor to place buoys at the ends of the wing dams.

The Rev. W. J. Devine has been conducting a mission at the Catholic church this week holding morning, afternoon and evening services. Rev. Devie is an eloquent speaker and has been drawing large audiences.

Dr. Amelia R. Sherman departed Thursday for Philadelphia to take post graduate work at the Woman's college of medicine. Her sister Miss Althea, who is taking a trip around the world, is traveling in southern Europe at the present time.

A More Advantageous Time.

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CUP DEFENDER READY

BRISTOL, R. I., April 24.—The racing yacht Resolute, built by the flag officers of the New York Yacht club to defend the America's cup against Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock IV, will be launched at the Herreshoff yards here tomorrow. Two other yachts will compete with the Resolute for the honor of defending the cup. The yacht will cost $150,000.

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INCREASE CO. L. TO WAR STRENGTH

Captain Merrill of Sparta Company Announces that Applications for Enlistment Will Be Received

SPARTA, Wis., April 24.—Captain R. A. Merrill is ready to recruit Co. L to full war strength, according to a bulletin issued yesterday. All those from the age of eighteen to forty-five, of sound body and mind, will be accepted. A preference will be given to Spanish war veterans in enlistments. The order is issued as the result of an order from Colonel Richards.

Marriage License Issued

A license to marry has been granted by County Clerk O. J. Jackson to Clarence E. Hitchcock and Marie Axelson, both of the town of Sparta.

Cemetery Meeting

The annual meeting of the Sparta Cemetery association will be held at the office of the secretary, G. A. Richardson, at 7:30, May 4th. All persons owning lots in the Woodlawn cemetery are entitled to vote at this meeting. The trustees will meet directly after the adjournment of the annual meeting to organize the new board and elect new officers.

YEOMEN DANCE

The weekly dance of the Yeomen was held Tuesday evening in Linker hall, a large number of members and friends attending. Hackbart's Yeomen orchestra of five pieces furnished the music for the occasion. The Yeomen will hold their regular weekly meeting next Tuesday evening.

The Effects of Opiates.

THAT INFANTS are peculiarly susceptible to opium and its various preparations, all of which are narcotic, is well known. Even in the smallest doses, if continued, these opiates cause changes in the functions and growth of the cells which are likely to become permanent, causing imbecility, mental perversion, a craving for alcohol or narcotics in later life. Nervous diseases, such as intractable nervous dyspepsia and lack of staying powers are a result of dosing with opiates or narcotics to keep children quiet in their infancy. The rule among physicians is that children should never receive opiates in the smallest doses for more than a day at a time, and only then if unavoidable.

The administration of Anodynes, Drops, Cordials, Soothing Syrups and other narcotics to children by any but a physician cannot be too strongly decried, and the druggist should not be a party to it. Children who are ill need the attention of a physician, and it is nothing less than a crime to dose them willfully with narcotics.

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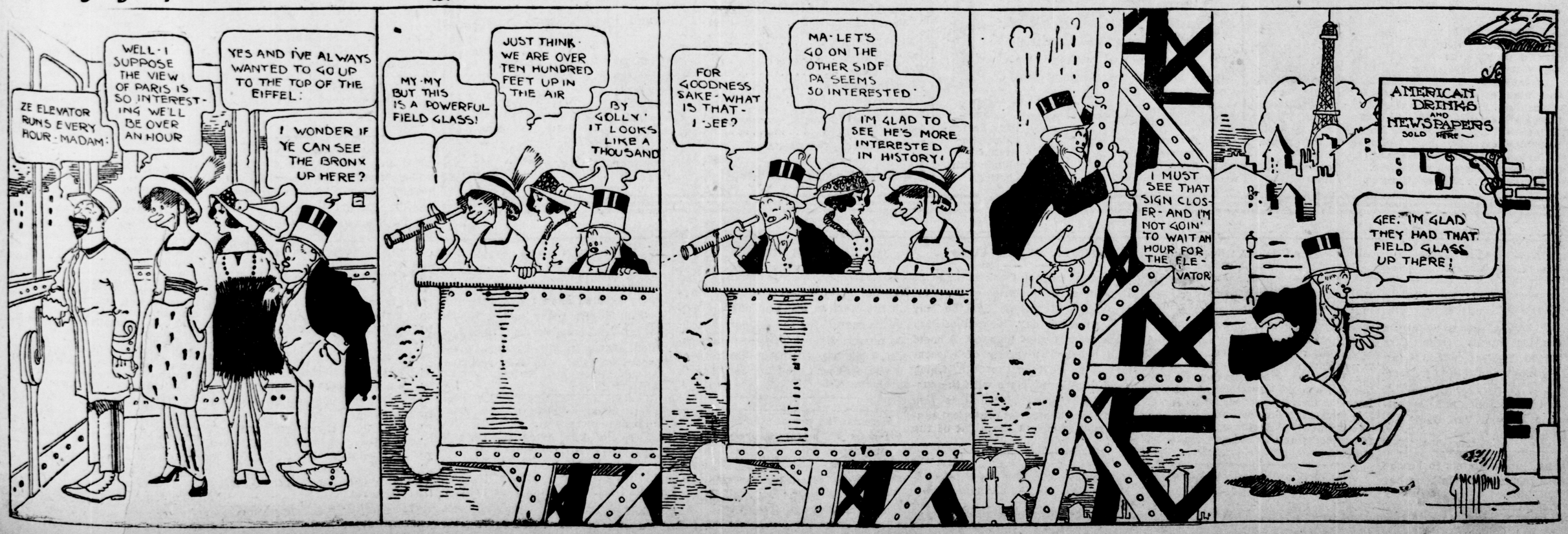
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All The Latest Popular Sheet Music, per copy 10c

APRIL SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

We anticipated a crowd for the opening of this sale yesterday, but the attendance we did receive exceeded our expectations. We knew we had extreme values to offer, but we were not sure that the mere mention of them could attract. We feel grateful to know that the women of La Crosse appreciate our efforts, accept our advertising statements and know that what we offer is exactly as represented.

You will find the assortment arranged as follows. The following items are only a representation of the immense stock:

TABLE NO. 1
Corset Covers, the regular 25c sellers, sale price each
13c

TABLE NO. 2
One lot **Women's Drawers,** value supreme; special sale price
13c



TABLE NO. 3
One lot **Combination Suits,** regular $1.25 quality, special sale price
89c

TABLE NO. 4
Contains **Gowns,** the best values ever offered, sale price
39c

TABLE NO. 5
A big line of White Muslin **Petticoats,** special sale price each
23c

TABLE NO. 7
Princess Slips, excellent quality $1.00, special sale price
69c

TABLE NO. 6
Has an excellent quality **Corset Covers** that retail regular for 35c, special sale price
19c

TABLE NO. 8
Marcella Combinations. Suits in Crepe and plain materials, $1.25 value, special sale price each
98c

Stationery and Candies

Jelly Beans, assorted flavors, per pound	5c
Hershey Almond or Milk Chocolate Bars, each	3c
Good Luck Butterscotch, a tasty confection, special at pound	7c
Chocolates with good Cream center, per pound	10c
Royal Mixed Candy, consists of Jelly Beans, Cream Candy, Soft Gums, lb.	6¾c
Novelty Post Card Records, fit any disc record machine, each	10c
Eaton Crane Pike Linen Voile Box Stationery, 50c value at	19c
Laurel Fabric Pound Paper, extra special at	15c

Look for the Bargain Squares in Center Aisle First Floor. Unmatchable values not advertised.

Undisputable Bargains in GROCERIES
FOR SATURDAY

10 pounds Fine Granulated Sugar for ..... Delivered with a Grocery Order of 50c or more.	43c
Sweet Juicy Navel Oranges, extra fancy, per dozen	23c
Wisconsin Early June Peas, Neshonoc brand, 15c value	11c
Tomatoes, Splendid brand, No. 3 can	10c
Armour's Veribest Pork and Beans, 10c size	8c
15c size	12½c
20c size	16c
Batavia brand Corn, Maine pack, per can	12½c
White Bear Preserves, pure Fruit and Sugar, quart jar	23c
Fancy S. D. Japan Tea, our regular 50c brand, per pound	45c
Fancy Bulk Cocoanut, per pound	17c
Navy Beans, per pound	5c
Large Oregon Prunes, per pound	15c
Snider's Catsup, large bottle for	23c
Grandad Flour, special Saturday with 40 extra premium stamps at	$1.30
Rose Bushes, choice of a fine assortment at	10c

For Saturday selling we will have a full line of Fresh Fruits and Vegetables.

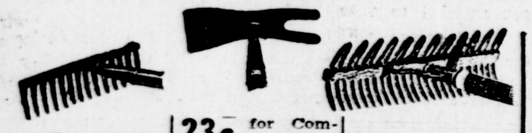
CORSET Special

Now is the time to get an inexpensive Corset for summer wear. An excellent garment in the new spring style, a good assortment of sizes, for Saturday each

87 cts.

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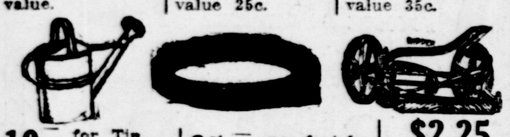
Another Installment of Supreme Offerings in Housefurnishings



19c for Garden Rake, 12 or 14 tooth, 25c value.

23c for Combination Hoe, made of malleable iron, value 25c.

25c for malleable Iron Lawn Rake, value 35c.



19c for Tin Sprinkling Can, 4 quart size, made of heavy Tin, value 25c.

6½c per foot for guaranteed Garden Hose, coupled, value, 10c.

$2.25 For Lawn Mower, self sharpening, value $3.00.



47c for Garden Spade with D handle, value 75c.

HARDWOOD EXTENSION WINDOW SCREENS

14 inch high, extends 33 inches	12c
16 inch high, extends 33 inches	18c
18 inch high, extends 33 inches	21c
24 inch high, extends 33 inches	25c

$1.29 for the No. 29 Fancy Screen Door with splindler, two coats Varnish Stain, all fixtures.

98c for Screen Door, Walnut Stained, 3 inch panel, any size, complete fixures.



58c for gallon of Boiled Linseed Oil, best grade.

29c for pint can Screen Paint, Green or Black.

6¾c lb. for White Lead, best grade.

9c for can Varnish Stain, for Painting your floors.



JAPALAC for painting your floors—

One-fourth pint size	12c
One-half pint size	23c
1 pint size	40c
1 quart size	73c
Half gallon	$1.39

MONEY-BAK READY MIXED PAINTS

Half pint size	9c
One pint size	18c
One quart size	39c
Half gallon size	69c
One gallon size	$1.29

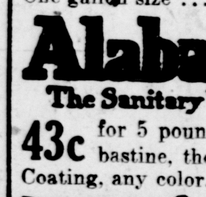


Alabastine
The Sanitary Wall Coating

43c for 5 pound package Alabastine, the sanitary Wall Coating, any color.



69c for Searchlight, the tubular kind, with battery.



7c for 50 foot Clothes Line, well braided, will not stretch, 15c val.

29c for 5 pound package Freskoline Wall Coating, 40c val.



$19.50 for the Diamond Bicycle, strictly high grade with Coaster brake and mud guards, 22 or 24 inch frame, made of 1 inch 18 gauge seamless tubing, full flush joints, reinforced extension adjustable handle bars, complete tool bags and the tires we guarantee for one year. A regular $25.00 bicycle.

BICYCLE SUNDRIES

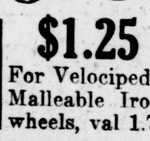
Never Leak	21c
Rubber Cement	4c
Inner Tubes	69c
Foot Pump	29c
Bicycle Chains	69c
Handle Bar Grips	12c
Bicycle Spokes, 6 for	5c
Saddle Springs	54c
Pants Guards, per pair	2c
Handle Bars	89c
Speedwell Tires, guaranteed	$1.89



$1.25 For Velocipede, Malleable Iron wheels, val 1.75



69c for Roller Skates, Boys or Girls, Steel Roller, value $1



1¾c Per sq. foot for Wire Cloth for Screening your window and doors.



$11.50 for fine Pullman Reed Go-Cart, Repp or Upholstered shellac or baronial finish, enameled Gears to match, a regular $20 value.



$5.48 for Hardwood Refrigerator, Golden Oak finish, ice capacity 35 lbs., charcoal filled, $6.75 value.

DOERFLINGER'S.
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Special Sale of Smart Spring MILLINERY

We have just received a shipment of very smart Hats which we are placing on sale at special prices Saturday.



Trimmed Hats

Trimmed Hats of the latest and smartest patterns, both imported and domestic models. Hats selling usually up to $6.00, at the special price of—

$2.98

Untrimmed Shapes in a wonderful variety of styles, at each **$1.48**

Roses A gorgeous assortment of Roses, specially priced at ..... **19c, 39c and 49c**

RUSSIA BOOSTING ATHLETIC SPORTS

Appropriate $42,500 for New Department of Physical Culture; Government Behind Plan

(By Hal Sheridan, written for the United Press)

NEW YORK, April 24. — Even Russia is perking up and taking a decided interest in sports. With France maintaining an "athletic university" and Germany and England giving attention to the sport field, Russia has now joined the general rush to get aboard the wagon.

A grant of $42,500 has been made by the Russian treasury for the organization of the new government of physical culture, pending the appropriation by the duma of a considerably larger amount for the first year's work. General Voyeikoff, the chief superintendent of the new department, and his assistants are now busily engaged in revising the statutes of the different sport organizations which will hereafter be under the control of the new department. The statutes are to be revised so that their various activities may be coordinated and friction avoided.

On the board of management is a representative from each of the government ministries and from each of the seven sport leagues—Heavy athletics, Light Athletics, Lawn Tennis, Football, Rowing, Sailing and Fencing. The work of the department will be distributed in six sections; hygiene and physical exercise, educational, sports and gymnastics, propaganda, statistical and inspection.

Czar Nicholas has watched the developments of the department with the warmest interest and has made a number of personal suggestions regarding its organization. The department expects to conduct an all-Russian Olympic games meeting at Riga in July. Evidentally everybody is inspired with an ambition to lick Uncle Sam at something. And everybody's welcome to take a crack. Driving competition means that the standard of American athletics will have to be raised gradually but with the lead this country has it should be many years before we are unhorsed.

A Rabbit and a Whistle.

Did you know that a short, sharp whistle from the mouth would stop a rabbit? It surely does. Next time you see little Molly Cottontail leap from her burrow and make off don't shoot; just whistle. Whether from fear or curiosity I cannot tell, but she will stop still in her tracks. An antelope has been known to do likewise. An African hunter once said that the elephant is the most timid of all animals and can be frightened into a cold sweat by a mysterious noise.—New York Press.

Romance of Few Words.

"Why are you so pensive?" he asked.

"I'm not pensive," she replied.

"But you haven't said a word for twenty minutes."

"Well, I didn't have anything to say."

"Don't you ever say anything when you have nothing to say?"

"No."

"Will you be my wife?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Wisconsin—In Probate—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Gilbert M. Woodward, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County, deceased.

Letters of administration in said matter having been granted to Andrew Lees of La Crosse, Wisconsin, notice is hereby given that six months after the 16th day of April, A. D. 1914, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the third day of November, A. D. 1914, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court in the Courthouse in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 16th day of April, 1914.

By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

PURE FOOD SHOW

FOND DU LAC, Wis., April 24.—The pure food show arranged by local grocers opened in the Armory yesterday. The displays will be open the remainder of the week. Over fifty manufacturers and jobbers had their goods on exhibition.

Having just reached his fifty-fourth birthday anniversary, Mr. Bryan can still look forward to several presidential campaigns.

Purifies Blood With Telling Effect

Gives Conscious Evidence of Its Direct Action.



S. S. S., the famous blood purifier, almost talks as it sweeps its way through the circulation. Its action is so direct that very often in some forms of skin affliction the appearance of the eruptions changes over night, the itch and redness are gone and recovery begins immediately.

As a matter of fact, there is one ingredient in S. S. S. which serves the active purpose of stimulating each cellular part of the body to the healthy and judicious selection of its own essential nutriment. That is why it regenerates the blood supply; why it has such a tremendous influence in overcoming eczema, rash, pimples, and all skin afflictions.

And in regenerating the tissues S. S. S. has a rapid and positive antidotal effect upon all those irritating influences that cause rheumatism, sore throat, weak eyes, loss of weight, thin, pale cheeks, and that weariness of muscle and nerve that is generally experienced as spring fever. Get a bottle of S. S. S. at any drug store, and in a few days you will not only feel bright and energetic, but you will be the picture of new life. S. S. S. is prepared only in the laboratory of The Swift Specific Co., 534 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., who maintain a very efficient Medical Department, where all who have any blood disorder of a stubborn nature may write freely for advice and a special book of instruction. S. S. S. is sold everywhere by drug stores, department and general stores, but beware of all substitutes.

MEET "U" ATHLETES

MADISON, Wis., April 24. — To foster acquaintance of the student body with the university's best athletes, a "W" smoker was given at the gymnasium last night. Over fifty wearers of the "W" attended. Bryan punch, free lunch and talks by Director George W. Ehler, Coaches W. J. Juneau and T. E. Jones and Basketball Captain Eugene Van Gent featured the program.

President Huerta claims to be the best soldier in Mexico. Well, he has certainly soldiered a lot lately around the cafes.

PLAY ONALASKA

The normal school basketball team will meet the Onalaska town team in the first scheduled game of the season at Onalaska tomorrow afternoon. The game was not played with the high school last night. It is not known just who will start the game but the following men will be taken along: Shubert, layman and Immell as pitchers; Oliver, Dake, Lawton, Christianson and Lorentson as infielders; Wachter and Holthaus as catchers; and Kuehl and Huber as outfielders.

Women talk so much there never was a boarding house secret that remained a secr

TRACK MEET MAY 30

The high school track meet to be given under the auspices of the local normal school will be held on May 30, Decoration day, instead of May 26, as was at first planned. A meet given by the University of Wisconsin will be held on the 26th, which would greatly interfere with the success of the local plans. It is also hoped that the district oratorical contest can be held on the night of the meet.

Proper Discipline.

"The ship won't mind her helm, sir."

"Then dock her."—Baltimore American.

OFFERS WAR NURSES PAY

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Volunteering her own services as a nurse in the Mexican war and offering $1,000 a month for the support of other nurses, Mrs. J. J. Brown of Denver, Col., wired Senator Shafroth of that state, who read her message to the senate.

Your Mother?

Here's to the woman who has a smile for every joy, a tear for every sorrow, a consolation for every grief, an excuse for every fault, a prayer for every misfortune, an encouragement for every hope.—Sainte Foix.

REPORTED DIAZ SAILS

BERLIN, April 24.—Commercial circles here in close touch with the Mexican affairs today had a report that ex-President Porfirio Diaz has sailed incognito for Mexico. The deposed dictator was last reported at Monte Carlo.

Mutual Regrets.

"I'm so sorry your wife couldn't come to our party. We'll miss her terribly."

"So will I. I'll have nobody to remind me on the way home of the bad breaks I made."—Detroit Free Press.

New Silk Gloves 50c and up

Scott-Rose Co.

Carter's Summer Underwear 50c and up

THE STORE THAT SELLS WOOLTEX

SALE OF EMBROIDERIES

NEVER has there been any better bargains offered in fine Embroideries than we are able to offer you at this sale SATURDAY and MONDAY. Embroideries for the summer gowns, 45 inch Flouncings, 27 inch Flouncings, 18 inch Flouncings, Allovers, Corset Covers, Bands, Edges, Insertions, Galoons, Beadings, etc., a most complete range of fine Embroideries, many of them at

HALF ACTUAL VALUE

At HALF PRICE a big lot of odd Matched Sets in Swiss, Nainsook and Cambric, Edges, Flouncings and Insertions to match, 45 inch Flouncings, 27 inch Flouncings, 18 inch Flouncings, your choice at this sale for just ..... HALF PRICE

At 13c Yd. Corset Coverings, Bands, Galoons, Flouncings, values up to 25c.

At 19c Yd. 18 inch Flouncings, Corset Coverings, Novelty Bands, Galoons, values up to 35c.

At 29c Yd. 27 inch Flouncings, Allovers, 18 in. Flouncings, Corset Coverings, Novelty Bands, values up to 50c.

At 49c Yd. 27 inch Baby Flouncings, Allovers, 27 inch Flouncings, Novelty Bands, values up to $1.00.

At 69c Yd. 45 inch Flouncings, 27 inch Flouncings, Allovers, Novelty Bands, values up to $1.50.

$3.50 Raincoats $1.98
(SECOND FLOOR)

Ladies' rubber surface Slipon Rain Coats, tan with plaid lining, military braid collar and slash pockets, all sizes from 16 to 46, worth $3.50 each, Saturday each.. $1.98

Extraordinary Suit Sale
(SECOND FLOOR)

One lot of Women's high grade Suits in latest styles and materials, complete range of sizes in the best colors of the season. Suits that are worth a great deal more than the sale price. Saturday each $18.75

Alterations will be charged for on these sale Suits.

Sale of Fine Waists
(SECOND FLOOR)

Samples of famous Reed and Geisha finest Lingerie Waists, voiles, lawns, and novelty materials, trimmed with finest laces and embroideries, high and low necks, long and short sleeves.
Values up to $6.00 for $2.98
Values up to $4.00 for $1.98

IN OUR BASEMENT

DRY GOODS
Bargains in short lengths and remnants of White Goods, Wash Goods, Embroideries, Toweling, etc.

WASH GOODS
36 inch Light and Dark Percales, worth 12½c, only per yard 10c
Figured Crepes, Tissues, Checked Lawns, Dotted Swiss, India Linens, Serpentine Crepe, the biggest bargain ever offered, worth 18c to 20c, yard 10c
Light and Dark Calicoes, the best quality American Prints, Saturday yard 5c

NAINSOOK
33 inch silk finished Nainsook, actual value 25c, on sale Saturday, yard 12½c
Lonsdale Cambric, nainsook finish, only yard .. 12½c

LADIES' VESTS
Ladies' Summer Vests, worth 15c, Saturday only each 10c

BOYS' WAISTS
$1.00 K & E Boys' Waists, only each 75c
75c K & E Boys' Waists, only each 50c

CHILDREN'S DRESSES
Children's Dresses, made of ginghams, on sale Saturday at only each 19c

MEN'S HOSE
Men's Hose in all sizes, tans and black, regular 15c value, only pair 10c

WOMEN'S HOSE
Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, ribbed top, all sizes 8½ to 10, worth 15c, only per pair 10c
Children's Black Stockings, sizes from 5 to 9, extra good quality, double knees, worth 15c, only per pair 10c

PEARL BUTTONS
All sizes of White Pearl Buttons, at only per dozen 2½c

THREAD
200 yard Spool Cotton in all numbers, black and white, only 25c per dozen or per spool 2½c

CAMBRIC
36 inch White Cambric in short lengths, worth 12½c, only per yard 7½c
36 inch White Cambric in short lengths, worth 15c, only per yard 8½c

KEWPIE KANDY
Kewpie Kandy, absolutely pure, regular 25c box, Saturday only per box 18c

CUPS AND SAUCERS
Johnson White China Cups and Saucers, worth $1.85 dozen, Saturday 6 for 50c

TUMBLERS
Thin Blown Tumblers, a big bargain, for Saturday only 6 for 25c

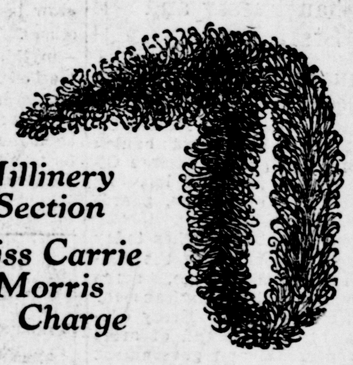
Voile
40 inch White Voile, regular 40c quality, only per yard 19c

Tissues
30 inch Tissues, big assortment, worth 25c, only per yard 19c

Ratine
27 inch Ratine in stripes, white grounds and solid colors, worth 35c, only per yard 25c

$10.00 TRIMMED HATS Saturday ONLY $3





Millinery Section
Miss Carrie Morris in Charge

50 Hats, taken from our regular stock, values to $10, and some new Hats just received, including a hat like picture, with an ostrich band and stick-up on it, which will go in the same sale

At Only Three Dollars

Hats come in all colors and black.

La Vida Corsets



Are distinctly Parisian in conception, and peculiarly American in execution, which perfect union of ideas, with supreme art-craftsmanship, produces a patrician, classic standard whose excellence is a challenge for world comparison.

La Vida lines bespeak the latest word in fashionable shapings—their daintiness of fabric, resiliency of boning, comfort and wearing qualities, make them well-nigh irresistible to the woman of taste.

The fashionable creation of La Vida Corsets is expressed in all that goes to make up a perfect product. Each La Vida model is made for a specific purpose; every line, gore and seam is the concrete expression of a definite reason. Every fabric entering into La Vida Corsets is tested for strength, and intended for service, and the supreme combination of material workmanship and style are maintained.

La Vida Corsets are modeled months ahead for the American woman, the most fastidious and discriminating dresser in the world, and La Vida Corsets can be safely selected as the latest and best in corset fashioning.

Each $3 to $10.00

W. B. NUFORM CORSETS $1.00 to $3.00

W. B. FRONT LACE CORSETS $1 and $2.00

Drapery Department
Third Floor. Take the Elevator.

Special Values For Saturday

36 inch x 63 inch **Velvet Rugs**, value $3.50, special each .. $2.25

27 inch by 54 inch best grade **Body Brussels**, in bedroom sizes, colors such as pink, blue, grey, brown, value $3.50, special each $2.75

Mission Rugs, suitable for living room and dining room, 9x12 feet, value $12.50, special $9.50

Brussels Rugs, 9x12 feet, all wool face, the easy to sweep kind, value $17.50, special each $13.75

Linoleums, extra grade, value 60c, special at yard 48c

Curtain Scrims, with hemstitched borders, value 25c, special at the yard 17c

Ruffled Muslin Curtains, value 50c, special at pair 25c

Curtain Rods, the 20c kind, special at each 10c

Bed Pillows, feather filled, covered with fancy ticking, value $2, special at pair $1.25

MANY TOMAHITES ATTEND INSPECTION

Public Interest in Military Affairs Runs High at Monroe County City

TOMAH, Wis., April 24.—The largest crowd that has ever attended an inspection of Company K, W. N. G., was in attendance at the inspection of Company K at the armory on Wednesday evening. This is due to the fact that many people are interested in military affairs at present, especially since the trouble with Mexico is fast approaching a crisis. Enthusiasm runs high among the members of the company and it is possible that they may have to take part in settling the dispute between the two countries.

After the inspection medals were awarded to six of the members for the good shooting done by them on the state range at Camp Douglas last summer. Quartermaster Sergeant Vesper and Artificer Reynolds were awarded "expert marksmen' emblems and Musician H. Bancroft, Private R. Sickles, Private A. Johnson and Private Moriarity were awarded the "marksmen" emblems. A few have enlisted in the company since the rumor of war has been afloat and should the company leave it is certain that the full war quota of 108 men would be had. Now is the time to enlist in Company K, one of the best in the "Shooting Third regiment."

Seniors Win Cup

The senior class won the Rowlands cup which is contested between the junior and senior classes in a series of eight debates. The question was "Resolved, that a protective tariff system is better for this country than a tariff for revenue only." The seniors upheld the affirmative side and were represented by Mabel Baker, Will Nuzum, Raymond Reinhard and George Nicholls (leader). The juniors upheld the negative and were represented by Margery Hill, H. Finnerty, Leon McMullen and George Gleason (leader).

Orchestra to Sparta

The Company K orchestra left on Thursday to play for a dance which was given by the Yeoman lodge of that city. The orchestra has now a large list of engagements and there is a great demand for their music outside of this city.

Roads Improving

The roads in this community are better now than they have been at any time this year. The frost is all out of the ground and automobiles have but very little trouble in covering the ground now.

Locals and Personals

The garage which was being built for Mr. Ueble is now completed and is ready for use.

The senior class of the high school held a meeting on Wednesday to decide the following questions: Who should deliver the baccalaureate sermon and which photographer should take the class picture. Rev. Jonathan G. Smith of the Congregational church received twenty-seven of forty-two votes and was elected to deliver the sermon. Mr. A. Wright received twentyseven of forty-two votes and will have the class picture to finish.

E. Hunting of Mather spent Thursday here.

Mr. Max Curtis of Camp Douglas, who is in the employ of the state on the rifle range, was in the city on Wednesday to be in attendance at its inspection of Company K.

Several of the younger people of the town are enjoying roller skating on the walks in Brindleville in the evenings.

R. E. Fox of Marshfield spent Thursday looking over a prospective residence.

Mr. Sheridan Alexander, well known as a liveryman in the city, died on Wednesday after suffering for over two months with paralysis. Mr. Alexander, prior to his sickness, was engaged by the Al Switz livery as a teamster. Mr. Alexander drove the linemen for the telephone company and knew nearly every road in this section of the state. Funeral arrangements have not beet completed.

CHILD TRAINING DISCUSSED.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—"Parents' Responsibility in Training Children for Self Support, Home Making and Good Citizenship" was the general subject for consideration at the afternoon sesion of the Child Welfare Congress today. Prof. E. A. Kirkpatrick, of Fitchburg, Mass., spoke on the "Financial Training of Children." Former United States Senator Dubois of Idaho also made an address at this session. The chief scout executive of the Boy Scouts of America, James E. West, of New York, was scheduled to discuss "Training for Good Citizenship." The evening session is to be devoted to a reception by the national officers, followed by a banquet.

ITALIAN VOLCANOES ACTIVE

ROME, April 24.—Mount Vesuvius, on the west coast and Mount Etno, on the Island of Sicily, became active simultaneously today. A series of violent tremblings of the earth accompanied the eruptions. These shocks were felt for some distance about Vesuvius. Reports received here declare there is no immediate danger in the vicinity of Vesuvius.

WIFE MURDERER TO HANG.

EDWARDSVILLE, Ill., April 24.—Nikola Gavrilovich, of St. Louis, was today to be hanged at the Madison county jail for the murder of his wife in a quarrel which followed her refusal to give him $150, the amount he spent in bringing her to America. He stabbed her seven times.

Luxurant Hair Easy to Acquire

Some Splendid Beauty Secrets Taken from the Beauty Talks of Valeska Suratt, America's Greatest Beauty-Actress, and Recommended by Her in the Boston American.

"The only way to have beautiful hair is to force it. You can spend a lifetime with the ordinary hair tonics sold trying to tease it into healthy growth, but the game is not worth the candle. Here is the hair treatment formula that will produce astonishing results in a short time. It will also stop hair from falling. Mix one-half pint each of water and alcohol (or take one pint of imported bay rum if you wish) and add one ounce of beta-quinol. It is then ready to use. It is fragrant, cleanly and contains no oil. The beta-quinol costs no more than fifty cents at the drug store."

. . . "It is very difficult to develop the bust, but I have known the following formula to produce very good results. Never use mechanical appliances on the bust. Massage is of very little use. Mix half a cup of sugar, two ounces of ruetone and a half pint of hot water. Of this take two teaspoonfuls after meals and at bed time. This is absolutely safe and is the only thing that I would recommend. The ruetone you can obtain at the drug store for one dollar."

. . . Here is a simple, effective formula for wrinkles: To a half pint of hot water add two ounces of eptol and two tablespoonfuls of glycerine. Stir until it becomes a beautiful satiny cream. When cool it is ready to use. Every day's use of this brings back youth to the face in a startling manner. Wrinkles, big and little, and crow's feet, vanish. The eptol costs no more than fifty cents at the drug store.

BEATS SHARPER OUT OF MONEY

Small Town "Sucker" Too Smooth for Eastern "Green Goods" Salesman

APPLETON, Wis., April 24.—A Buffalo, N. Y., green goods dealer is out several dollars because of his experiments with several business men in central Wisconsin, whom he had expected to fleece with the old counterfeit money game. One Appleton business man is fifty cents winner because of the negotiations.

This man, several weeks ago, received by express a letter from the Bufalo sharper in which it was stated that the writer had a fine run of counterfeit money which he was willing to sell for very little. The bills, said the sharper, were so perfect that only the most expert could detect it. He advised the Appleton man to get in early and "pull down some soft money." He offered the bargan of $2,500 in bogus money for $500 and $6,000 for $100.

The recipient of the letter wired his sharper to send a sample of the bogus paper. A few days later the expressman delivered a small package in which was a new one dollar bill. The bill, of course, was perfectly good.

The Appleton man then ordered samples of the $5 and $10 bills. But the crook gave him up as a poor prospect.

ARRESTS HIMSELF

WICHITA, Kas., April 24.—Carrying in his pocket a warrant for his own arrest, charged by the Olson Brothers' Lyceum bureau, of having collected money due them and keeping it, the Rev. J. E. Dinger arrived in Wichita from Cleveland, Ohio, yesterday afternoon and presented himself in the city court to be arrested. O. H. Hicklin, marshal of the city court, who went to Cleveland to arrest the preacher, stopped for a visit with his sister in St. Louis and sent Dinger on alone.

NEW LIFE
Found in Change to Right Food

After one suffers for months from acid dyspepsia, sour stomach, and then finds the remedy is in getting the right kind of food, it is something to speak about.

A N. Y. lady and her young son had such an experience and she wants others to know how to get relief. She writes:

"For about fifteen months my little boy and myself had suffered with sour stomach. We were unable to retain much of anything we ate.

"After suffering in this way for so long I decided to consult a specialist in stomach diseases. Instead of prescribing drugs, he put us both on Grape-Nuts and we began to improve immediately.

"It was the key to a new life. I found we had been eating too much heavy food which we could not digest. In a few weeks after commencing Grape-Nuts, I was able to do my house work. I wake in the morning with a clear head and feel rested and have no sour stomach. My boy sleeps well and wakes with a laugh.

"We have regained our lost weight and continue to eat Grape-Nuts for both the morning and evening meals. We are well and happy and owe it to Grape-Nuts."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

SUMMER COURSE SCHEDULE READY

MADISON, Wis., April 24. — The normal regents announce the synopsis of courses at the summer school at the River Falls normal school, opening June 22. This is the last year that six weeks will win a certificate. In addition to the regular courses, the school will offer special courses in agriculture for expert rural teachers, in agriculture for state graded school principals, in manual training for state graded school principals, in industrial methods for state graded school principals, in domestic science for state graded school teachers, in history of Wisconsin for grade teachers, in social center work and rural economics for rural teachers, in prevention of accidents and in humane education for grade teachers, besides orchestra instruction.

Attendance on meetings of the National Education association at St. Paul in July will be counted as school work.

CELEBRATES ARBOR DAY.

COLUMBUS, April 24.—Ohio celebrated Arbor day today. Thousands of school children planted trees and participated in special exercises.

BOOKER WASHINGTON COMING TO STATE

RACINE, Wis., April 24.—Booker T. Washington, the noted negro instructor, principal of the Tuskogee normal and industrial institution, arrived here yesterday to deliver an address in the evening. The instructor will be in Wisconsin for the next week, during that time delivering twenty-two addresses.

Dr. Washington will go to Waukesha and will also speak in Janesville. Saturday he will be in Beloit and Madison and Monday he will be in Watertown. He will visit Prairie du Chien and La Crosse on Monday, Eau Claire on Tuesday, Appleton, Oshkosh and Sheboygan on Wednesday and will close his tour with a lecture in Milwaukee Thursday evening.

HOTEL MEN REACH PLYMOUTH

PLYMOUTH, Eng., April 24.—Two hundred members of the American Hotel Men's Mutual Benefit association were expected to arrive here today on board the steamship George Washington which sailed from New York on April 16. The American hotel men will make a forty-eight day tour of Europe.

INSHORE SQUADRON TO ENFORCE BLOCK

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Formation of a special squadron for inshore work in the Mexican blockade was ordered yesterday by Secretary Daniels. Rear Admiral Cameron Winslow will be in charge. He will hoist his flag on the battleship New York and have charge of the Washington, Montana, Tacoma, Des Moines, Chester, Salem, Nashville, Dolphin, Castine, Machias, Wheeling, Petrel and Eagle—all shallow draft vessels. The New York will sail from the Brooklyn navy yard Sunday or Monday.

SPECIALS for SATURDAY



Ladies' Suits

All in the very height of fashion for this spring and summer wear. All the newest shades, special at **$15.00**

These special Suits are worth $5 more. We also have others at **$7.50 to $37.50**

Just Received 50 Ladies' Coats

All shades and colors. See our specials at **$10.00**

Others up to **$18.00.**

Men

Our Suits cannot be equalled at our prices.

You can choose any from all popular materials: Serges, Mixtures, Worsteds and Cheviots. Special Saturday at **$15.00**

IF YOU COME IN SATURDAY YOU CAN BUY FOR

No Money Down

(Balance on easy weekly, semi-monthly or monthly payments.)

Having or being in a combination of over 200 stores, we can buy in such large quantities that we can buy cheaper, consequently we can sell cheaper than others. We can compete with mail order house on same grade of clothing. Try us.

Klassen's CASH & CREDIT STORE

322 Pearl St.

MAID AND STATE ACCEPT WILSON

"Bobby" Proves Satisfactory to the Lady and the Commonwealth for Wedding Monday

Mr. Robert Wilson, assistant buyer in the wash goods department of L. S. Donaldson Company of Minneapolis, is to be married Monday, April 27, to Miss Ada Gustad of La Crosse, Wis. Miss Gustad was formerly of the Donaldson store "clan" and it was while they were associated in business that the little winged god with characteristic indifference to "business during business hours" practiced archery and made two people happy.

Mr. Wilson made a flying trip to La Crosse last week to ascertain whether he would be a bridegroom suitable to the laws of Wisconsin, and was assured that so great was the demand for men of his stamina that he may marry in Wisconsin as often as he pleases. The examination indicated functional heart trouble, but the parson agrees to cure that when the wedding bells ring next Monday.

After a wedding trip to Chicago and other eastern points Mr. Wilson and his bride will reside in Minneapolis. Their many friends in that city, as well as in La Crosse, wish them "bon voyage" on the bridal tour and on the longer journey together that will follow.

About two dozen of Mr. Wilson's friends of Minneapolis, all "bra Scots" have rallied to the call of their blushing brother and will accompany him to La Crosse to see that he does not lose the ring or the bride or the train or the eugenic diploma on the momentuous day.

MAPLE SUGAR PARTY.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Washington, being the home of the homeless, is a great place for reunions. One of these gatherings of the "folks from back home" will be held tonight when the Vermont State association gets together. And, as a Vermont meeting at this time of the year wouldn't be complete without maple sugar, this will be a maple sugar party—maple taffy, maple syrup straight, maple fudge and so on, made direct from the pure quill sap such as only the Green Mountain State can produce.

MEXICANS ATTACK COP

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 24.—Every precaution is being taken to prevent any anti-American outbreak among the Mexicans here. During the attempt to arrest an American pickpocket this morning a body of Mexicans attacked a mounted police officer. The police reported the situation as acute in the Mexican quarter and additional men are being sworn in.

A Gardening Secret.

Said Herbert Adams, the sculptor: "When I first planted my garden I thought I liked some flowers better than others, but after you've worked among flowers awhile, no matter what kind of flowers they are, you like them. I've noticed that certain flowers grow better for some people than for others. There's William Howard Hart—anything will grow for him! When I asked him the secret of his success he just held up his grubbing fork.

"'It's the secret the old woman had,' he told me, 'only she used a kitchen fork poking around the things. It is the care and affection you give them.'"—Suburban Life.

IRRESOLUTION.

Irresolution is a worse vice than rashness. He that shoots best may sometimes miss the mark, but he that shoots not at all can never hit it. Irresolution loosens all the joints of a state. Like an ague, it shakes not this nor that limb, but all the body is at once in a fit. The irresolute man is lifted from one place to another, so hatcheth nothing, but addles all his actions.—Owen Feltham.

Millinery Sale



SATURDAY

WAR IS ON IN MILLINERY PRICES.

All the stores have the cut price sales. Go and see what they have to offer. Remember style counts. You are not looking for a last year's shape. You may have one at home. Poehling's Millinery shows the very latest at less price and more style.

SATURDAY $2.95 to $11.75

Skirt Sale New Skirts in all the new shades, each **$3.98 to $12.50**

POEHLING'S

WE GIVE AWAY FIVE DOLLARS IN MERCHANDISE.

BORAH DEMANDS EMBARGO AT ONCE

Makes Plea in Senate and Registers a Protest Against the War

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Immediately placing of an embargo on arms across the Mexican border was demanded in the senate yesterday afternoon by Senator Lodge.

"We are in danger of a fight on that border at any minute," he declared. "The time has come to stop the admission of arms to Mexico on that border and everywhere else. We have read the statement of our one time ally, Carranza. What hurts me more than anything else in our whole relations with Mexico is the policy of putting this country in a position of an ally with Pancho Villa. After Carranza's statement what possible reason can there be for showing any further consideration.

"Are we so tied up with Villa that we cannot take this act against Carranza?"

Senator Fall declared that Villa had 6,000 men in Juarez and that shipments of arms were pouring in to them.

BRAZIL TO HOLD DOCUMENTS

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Secretary of State Bryan announced this afternoon that arrangements may be made with the Brazilian government for the safety of all documents and archives in the United States embassy at Mexico City. They will be turned oxer to the Brazilian ambassador at Mexico City by Charge O'Shaughnessy.

Too Much to Ask.

Little June Marie's mother is very indulgent, but there are times when even she draws the line.

One very hot day, when all nature drooped, a neighbor saw June Marie and her mother tolling along the street under a blazing sun. June Marie was weeping aloud, struggling and holding back, but her mother dragged her firmly on over the road.

"Why, what's the matter with June Marie?" the neighbor asked.

Her mother looked patiently at the neighbor, while the perspiration ran down her glowing face. "She's crying because I wouldn't let her wear her mittens," she said.—Youth's Companion.

Against Advertising.

"Why don't you advertise?" asked the editor of the home paper. "Don't you believe in advertising?"

"I'm agin advertising," replied the proprietor of the Hayville Racket store.

"But why are you against it?" asked the editor.

"It keeps a feller too durn busy," replied the proprietor. "I advertised in a newspaper one time about ten years ago and I never even got time to go fishing."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

An Original Oath of Allegiance.

In the old days when the Spanish province of Aragon was a proud and independent monarchy the people used when choosing their king the following singular form of election:

"We, the freeborn inhabitants of the ancient kingdom of Aragon, who are equal to you, Don Philip, and something more, elect you to be our king on condition that you preserve to us our rights and privileges. If in this you should fail we own you for our king no longer."

MAN'S WORK.

It is no man's business whether he has genius or not. Work he must, whatever he is, but quietly and steadily, and the natural and unforced results of such work will be always the things that God meant him to do.—John Ruskin.

PIANOS

AT EXCEPTIONAL BARGAINS

One $350 slightly used fine Mahogany case	$185
One New $325 Sample Upright at	$200
One New $500 Player Piano, slightly used	$275
One used $550 Player Piano at	$235
One $850 Sohmer Grand, used, at	$225
One Square Piano at	$12.50
One Square Piano at	$35
One Kimball Organ at	$15
One Organ at	$10
One Crown Organ at	$40
One 6 octave Netzow Organ at	$20
One Wheelock Upright, used, at	$150

We have many other Bargains to offer. Call and see us.

NEW EMERSON PIANOS AND PLAYER PIANOS.

Also New Lindeman & Sons Player Pianos.

VICTROLAS, $15 to $200.

Sold for Cash or Easy Payments.

Fred Leithold Piano Co.

325 Main Street

The kind of Shoes you've always wanted at the price you want to pay.



Wear and quality—of course. And then the niceties of style and finish that apreal to the followers of fashion who are exacting as to their footwear. Let us show you our extensive line of Smart Shoes for Spring ..... **$3.00 to $7.00**

HEIL'S FAMILY SHOE STORE

Main Street at Fourth

CRUISER AWAITS ORDERS

VALLEJO, April 24.—The cruiser Maryland sailed yesterday afternoon for California city. After a coaling the ship will go to San Francisco to wait orders from Washington. The reserve torpedo boats, Hull and Lawrence, and Saulsilito and the Hopkins at Mare Island have been ordered to prepare to sail for San Diego Saturday.

Looking Backward.

"Some people have queer ideas of sentiment."

"For example?"

"I know a man who treasures the slipper his mother used to spank him with."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

BOATING SEASON ON

MADISON, Wis., April 24.—The boating season here opened today when William Bernard sent his fleet of launches across the lake with a party of Arcadians bound for a dance. Bernard is the first of the lake men to get his fleet in working order but others are working on their equipment, renovating and painting and will be ready to start business by the first of next month.

Ignorance.

Teacher—I am surprised that you should have such a bad lesson, George. I expected better things of you. Pupil—My pa says it is the unexpected that always happens. Funny a teacher didn't know that!—Boston Transcript.

BRAZILIAN FLAG OVER OUR EMBASSY

Stars and Stripes Hauled Down at Midnight when O'Shaughnessy and Staff Leave

WASHINGTON, April 24. — The Brazilian flag today floated over the United States embassy at Mexico City. The stars and stripes was hauled down at midnight, when Charge O'Shaughnessy and his staff left by special train for Vera Cruz, guarded by Huerta's soldiers.

State department dispatches today told of the "surrender" of the American embassy—the huge, stone castle, abandoned by Americans for the first time in years. Every official document, every stand of arms and every personal and government article of the evacuating Americans was placed under the protection of the Brazilian government. Huerta, unless he violates all international laws, cannot secure the arms and cartridges held in the embassy for many months.

Secretary Bryan stated today that steps for protection of all United Steps property had been taken. Unless rioting and vandalism—spontaneous or winked at by Huerta—should ensue, the building is believed safe.

The embassy occupies about two acres of ground on an elevation, picturesquely situated. About 1,00 Krag-Jorgensen rifles and thousands of rounds of ammunition were stored in the basement and garret.

It was suspected that if the arms were left behind, members of the embassy staff had made every rifle useless. The ammunition, of course, is not fitted for use in anything other than Krag rifles. Such a type of rifles is not widely known in Mexico.

A Prince's Ransom.

The following is told of the famous Prince of Conde: He left his son, aged nine years, 50 louis d'or to spend while he himself was absent in Paris. On his return the boy came to him triumphantly, saying:

"Papa, here is all the money safe. I have never touched it once."

The prince, without making any reply, took his son to the window and quietly emptied all the money out of the purse into the street. Then he said:

"If you have neither virtue enough to give away your money nor spirit enough to spend it, always do this for the future, that the poor may have a chance of it."

Houses of Parliament.

The British houses of parliament at Westminster cover fully nine acres of ground.

Had Lung Trouble and Expected to Die

The many recoveries brought about by Eckman's Alterative are attracting wide attention. Read about this case:—

33 B St., Keyser, W. Va.

"Gentlemen:—I was taken sick in November, 1908. I grew steadily worse. Had two consultations. The verdict was the fever had affected my lungs and that my case was hopeless; only gave me two months to live. My physician had tried most all kinds of treatment and none did me any good, so he asked my husband if he objected to him trying a proprietary medicine. I began your Alterative. I was in bed from November 30, 1908, until February 25, 1909, and was thought dying several times. Today I am healthier and stronger than ever." (Abbreviated.)

(Signed) MRS. H. K. BRILEY.

Eckman's Alterative is most efficacious in bronchial catarrh and severe throat and lung affections and upbuilding the system. Contains no harmful or habit-forming drugs. Accept no substitutes. Sold by Geo. E. Mariner, Chas. A. Beyschlag and leading druggists. Write Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for booklet of recoveries.

MOVE IN WAR GAME

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Moves in the Mexican war game were seen in army orders issued today placing Brigadier General Pershing in command of Presidio post, San Francisco, with instructions to devote his time to drilling and training his brigade and detailing Captain A. G. Lott of the Sixth cavalry as a member of the general staff corps. Brigadier General Hunter Liggett was relieved from duty in Washington, assigned to command the fourth brigade and ordered to proceed to Chicago.

Suffering Humanity.

"Mrs. Sourmug, who thought she had a mission to look after suffering humanity, is married, isn't she?"

"Yep."

"I was surprised to learn that she had given up her mission in life."

"She hasn't. Her husband is going to be suffering humanity hereafter."—Houston Post.

Experience is a good asset, unless you have exchanged a bank account for it.

WISCONSIN FRUIT CROPS TO BE LARGE

MADISON, Wis., April 24.—With the exception of strawberries, for which the prospects are in doubt, all fruit crops in Wisconsin are likely to be large this year, in the opinion of experts. The State Horticultural society sent N. A. Rasmussen of Algona on an inspection tour. He visited Sturgeon Bay, Chippewa Falls, La Crosse and other points, and found all the apple and other orchard trees and the bush-bearing fruits in fine condition.

"YOUNG OLD MEN" MEET

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 24.—Members of the Young Old Men's association will meet here tonight in celebration of the first six months' achievements of the unique organization. The association was organized October 22, 1913, for the benefit of men, who because of grey hair, are barred from employment, although physically able to work. It now has 299 members and has thus far found positions for seventy-five "young old" men.

DOES YOUR STOMACH CONTAIN A GLASSFUL OF ACID?

96 OUT OF 100 DYSPEPTICS HAVE DANGEROUS ACID IN THEIR STOMACHS, WHICH MUST BE NEUTRALIZED IF GOOD HEALTH IS TO BE MAINTAINED

If you held a teaspoonful of hydrochloric acid in your mouth for only a second you would not be surprised at its burning and inflaming all the tissues; yet an eminent specialist states that 96 out of 100 dyspeptics go about with a glassful or more of this powerful acid in their stomachs, and then wonder what causes the burning and aching and why they suffer the discomfort after meals.

To put wholesome food into an acid stomach only increase the discomfort, because the acid mixes with the fresh food and turns it sour, making a lot more acid. The acid condition causes food fermentation, which irritates, distends and inflames the tender stomach lining, and it is not surprising that specialists say acid stomachs are dangerous. This decidedly dangerous and uncomfortable condition can be overcome either by following a strict diet or, and this is far easier and more quickly effective, by taking a teaspoonful of bisurated magnesia in a quarter glassful of water after meals to neutralize the acidity. The latter course is much more satisfactory because it corrects the acidity and banishes discomfort without any need for diet.



SUMMIT Town and Country SHIRT

For the Active, Outdoor Man

When you play tennis, golf, or spend a day at an outing, you want a comfortable, stylish shirt, don't you?

You'll find the Summit Town and Country Shirt will just suit you.

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AT THE LEADING STORES.

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GENUINE GAS COKE

During the Month of MAY Only
On Prepayment Plan

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Whole Coke $5.50 per ton
Crushed Coke $6.00 per ton

Any time between May 1st, 1914 and April 1st 1915, as you need it.
If carried, 25c per ton additional.

There is no fuel superior for RESIDENCE and BUILDING heating

SMOKELESS SOOTLESS LIGHT ASH HIGH HEAT VALUES

One ton of our coke under proper conditions, is equal
to one ton of Anthracite Coal or Solvay Coke

Why not save from $1.00 to $2.00 per ton on every ton of fuel you will burn?
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TODAY AND TOMORROW

"Conscience." Fine two reel Broncho, and a thrilling American western production, starring **Winifred Greenwood.** Dandy **Keystone** comedy. — Four reel show.

SUNDAY

Sydney Ayres and Vivian Rich in an intensely absorbing 3 reel American drama. Four reel show.

THE LYRIC

Big Kerrigan Special

"The Acid Test"

"The Head Waiter"

Don't come if you can't laugh.

TONIGHT and SATURDAY

THE CASINO

Today and Tomorrow

"PAID IN FULL"

Special feature attraction.

THE BIJOU

TONIGHT AND SATURDAY

American Battleship Fleet on Way to Mexico.

"In the Days of His Youth"

One of the best stories ever told in pictures.

"Her First Arrest"

Mumorous comedy.

THE DOME

TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

"The Diver"

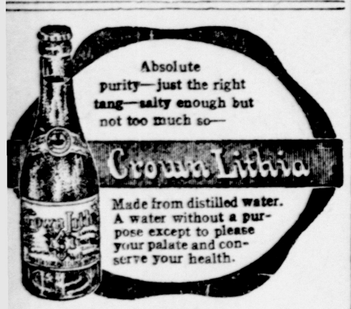
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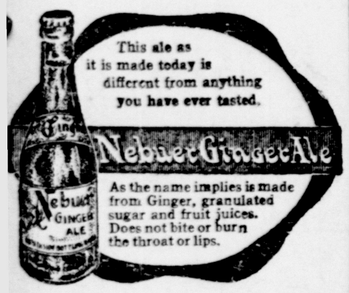
"The Kid Sheriff"

A comedy Western.

"Hawanda's Cross"

An Indian picture.







North Side Bottling Works

La Crosse, Wis.

TOLLS HEARING CLOSES

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Hearings on the tolls repeal bill in the senate inter-oceanic canals committee were scheduled to close today. The real fight on the floor of the senate was scheduled to begin within a short time thereafter.

Saturday Specials

Brooms, at each	25c
Sugar, 11 pounds for	49c
Japan Rice, two pounds for	15c
Soda Crackers, two pounds for	15c
Corn Flakes, per package	5c
Oranges, per dozen	12c
Wilbur's Chocolate, one-half pound	17c
Pink Salmon, per can	9c
Corn, per can	8c
Ginger Snaps, per pound	6c
Matches, two boxes for	5c
Macaroni, three packages for	23c

Fresh Vegetables Daily.

J. H. Tietz

912 Logan Street

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

BY HAL SHERIDAN

Well, it was all in the family. If Walter Johnson had to get his, A. Johnson was the proper rookie to hand it out.

War news in Cleveland is overshadowed by the fact that the Naps finally won, after eight straight defeats.

Larry Lajoie, once renowned swatsman, continued to head toward the bottom of the hitting heap.

The Cubs won even after Jimmy Lavender had handed the Cincy Reds eleven passports to first.

Seven straight for the Pirates while the second place Phillies were getting theirs from the Giants.

Crowds of 20,000 and 15,000 saw the Chicago Feds and Indianapolis Feds open yesterday in frigid temperatures.

Another day has passed and St. Louis still has a team leading a league, meaning Mordecai Brown's crowd and the Federal league.

Hoax—"A man with winning ways is always an agreeable companion." Joax—"Yes, until you get in a poker game with him."

"HEART SONGS" COUPON PRESENTED BY THIS PAPER TO YOU

HOW TO GET IT ALMOST FREE

Clip out and present six coupons like the above, bearing consecutive dates, together with our special price of either 68c or 98c for whichever style of binding you prefer. Both books are on display at the

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6 COUPONS AND 98c Secure the $2.50 Volume

Beautifully bound in rich Maroon—cover stamped in gold, artistic inlay design, with 16 full-page portraits of the world's most famous singers, and complete dictionary of musical terms.

6 COUPONS AND 68c Secure the $1.50 Volume

Well bound in plain green English Cloth, but without the portrait gallery of famous singers.

Out-of-town Readers will Add 10c Extra for Postage.

"HEART SONGS" The song book with a soul! 400 of the song-treasures of the world in one volume of 500 pages. Chosen by 20,000 music lovers. Four years to complete the book. Every song a gem of melody.

SPORTS

GIANTS CAPTURE OPENING BATTLE

25,000 Fans Witness Defeat of Phillies at New York; Pirates Win Seven Straight

WALTER JOHNSON GETS POUNDED

Boston Grabs One from the Senators; Thousands Attend Chifed Victory

NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York, 12; Philadelphia, 4

NEW YORK, April 24.—Before a crowd of 25,000 fans the Giants opened the 1914 season here with a victory over the Phillies by the one-sided score of 12 to 4. Score:

	R	H	E
Philadelphia .100001020—	4	7	4
New York ..20112600x—	12	11	2

Batteries: Mayer, Jacobs and Killifer; Tesreau, Schupp and McLean.

Boston, 9; Brooklyn, 1

BOSTON, April 24.—The Braves won the opening game of the season on the home grounds from Brooklyn yesterday 9 to 1. Score:

	R	H	E
Brooklyn . ..100000000—	1	7	3
Boston . ....00400023x—	9	9	2

Batteries: Ragon, Wagner, Pfeffer and McCarthy; Tyler and Gowdy.

Pittsburg, 5; St. Louis, 1

PITTSBURG, April 24.—The Pirates opened their home season yesterday with an easy victory over St. Louis, 5 to 1. Score:

	R	H	E
St. Louis ....000000100—	1	9	2
Pittsburg . ..00032000x—	5	8	0

Batteries: Hagerman and Snyder; Adams and Gibson.

Chicago, 3; Cincinnati, 1

Score:

	R	H	E
Cincinnati . ..000010000—	1	5	1
Chicago . ....00110000x—	2	4	2

Batteries: Douglas, Ingersoll and Clark; Lavender and Archer.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York, 5; Philadelphia, 3

PHILADELPHIA, April 24.—Frank Chance's Yankees snatched a victory from the Athletics by an eighth inning rally which netted four runs yesterday. The final tally was 5 to 3. Score:

	R	H	E
New York ....001000040—	5	6	1
Philadelphia . 120C00000—	3	10	0

Batteries: Cole, Schultz and Sweeney; Bush and Schang.

Boston, 5; Washington, 0

WASHINGTON, April 24.—With Walter Johnson on the mound, the Senators were beaten by the Red Sox in the opening game. Score:

	R	H	E
Boston . ....000000131—	5	9	1
Washington . 000000000—	0	6	2

Batteries: A. Johnson and Cady; W. Johnson and Ainsmith.

Detroit, 3; St. Louis, 1

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 24.—One bad inning for Carl Wellman of the Browns gave the Tigers a 3 to 1 victory yesterday. Score:

	R	H	E
Detroit . ....003000000—	3	5	1
St. Louis ....010000000—	1	7	1

Batteries: Main and Stanage; Wellman and Crossin.

Cleveland, 4; Chicago, 1

CLEVELAND, April 24. — The Naps broke their losing streak yesterday, winning from the White Sox 4 to 1. Score:

	R	H	E
Chicago . ....000000000—	1	6	1
Cleveland . ..01010020x—	4	1	0

Batteries: Cicotte and Schalk; Mitchell and Carisch.

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Pittsburg, 6; Brooklyn, 5

Score:

	R	H	E
Brooklyn . ..201020000—	5	7	3
Pittsburg . ..12100020x—	6	14	4

Batteries: Marion, Chappelle, Lafitte and Owens; Barger and Berry.

St. Louis, 3; Indianapolis, 0

Score:

	R	H	E
St. Louis . ..000000003—	3	9	0
Indianapolis . 000000000—	0	5	2

Batteries: Keupper and Hartlay; Falkenberg and Texter.

Chicago, 9; Kansas City, 1

Score:

	R	H	E
Kansas City .000000010—	1	5	2
Chicago . ....03120201x—	9	14	4

Batteries: Johnson, Stone, Hogan and Easterly; Hendrix and Wilson.

Baltimore, 4; Buffalo, 3

Score:

	R	H	E
Buffalo . ....002000001—	3	7	3
Baltimore . ..01120000x—	4	10	2

Batteries: Moore, Krapp and Blair; Wilhelm and Jacklitsch.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Louisville, 2; Indianapolis, 0

Score:

	R	H	E
Louisville . ..000100020—	3	7	1
Indianapolis . 000000000—	0	5	2

Batteries: Northrup and Severoid; Merz and Livingston.

Kansas City, 6; Minneapolis, 5

Score:

	R	H	E
Kansas City ..100020003—	6	8	3
Minneapolis . 000003020—	5	10	4

Batteries: Reagon and Moore; Lake, Burns and Rondeau.

Cleveland, 3; Columbus, 2

Score:

	R	H	E
Cleveland . ..000000030—	3	3	0
Columbus . ..100001000—	2	6	2

Batteries: Baskette and Devoght; Eayres and Smith.

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Standing Of Clubs

National League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	7	2	.778
Philadelphia	4	2	.667
Brooklyn	3	4	.429
Chicago	3	4	.429
New York	2	3	.400
Boston	2	3	.400
St. Louis	3	5	.375
Cincinnati	2	5	.286

American League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	7	2	.778
Detroit	6	2	.750
New York	4	2	.667
Washington	4	3	.571
Boston	3	4	.429
St. Louis	3	5	.375
Philadelphia	2	4	.333
Cleveland	1	8	.111

Federal League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Louis	7	1	.875
Baltimore	4	2	.667
Buffalo	3	2	.600
Brooklyn	2	3	.400
Indianapolis	3	5	.375
Kansas City	3	5	.375
Chicago	3	5	.375
Pittsburgh	1	3	.250

American Association

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Indianapolis	6	2	.750
Milwaukee	5	2	.714
Louisville	5	3	.623
St. Paul	5	5	.500
Kansas City	5	5	.500
Cleveland	4	5	.444
Minneapolis	2	5	.286
Columbus	1	6	.143

GAMTS YESTERDAY

American Association

St. Paul 6, Milwaukee 5 (ten innings.)

Kansas City 6, Minneapolis 5.

Cleveland 3, Columbus 2.

Louisville 3, Indianapolis 0.

American League

Cleveland 4, Chicago 1.

Detroit 3, St. Louis 1.

New York 5, Philadelphia 3.

Boston 5, Washington 0.

National League

Boston 9, Brooklyn 1.

New York 12, Philadelphia 4.

Chicago 2, Cincinnati 1.

Pittsburgh 5, St. Louis 1.

Federal League

Chicago 9, Kansas City 1.

St. Louis 3, Indianapolis 0.

Pittsburgh 6, Brooklyn 5.

Baltimore 4, Buffalo 3.

GAMES TODAY

American Association

Milwaukee at St. Paul.

Kansas City at Minneapolis.

Cleveland at Columbus.

Louisville at Indianapolis.

American League

Detroit at St. Louis.

New York at Washington.

Boston at Washington.

National League

Brooklyn at Boston.

Philadelphia at New York.

Cincinnati at Chicago.

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NORTH SIDE

LAY OUT DIAMOND FOR ONALASKA

City's Baseball Club Will Have Same Personnel This Season as Last

With the aid of Lester Gould, Theo Comeau and Prof. Campion of the agricultural school, a baseball diamond, said to be one of the most accurate in the northwest, was laid out yesterday on the campus of the La Crosse County Agricultural school. The diamond will be used by the Onalaska baseball club, of which Theo Comeau is manager and Lester Gounld an outfielder.

The personnel of the Onalaska team will be the same this year as lats year with Theo Comeau as manager, Emila and Fred Christopherson in the outfield, and Alex Thompson, Harold Bucklin, Roy Phelps and Elmer Freng in the infield and Erwin Comea behind the bat. Tomorrow the team will meet the La Crosse Normals at Onalaska and a week from Sunday the North La Crosse team, last year's amateur champions of La Crosse.

KANSAS CITY CLUBS ARE LOSING MONEY

KANSAS CITY, April 24.—According to Kansas City baseball observers, the invasion of the Federal league probably will mean that both clubs will lose heavily this year. In the opening battle for patronage, the Feds appeared to score heavily, outdrawing the association club by more than four to one. But, say the association people, the Federals issued passes with a lavishness that almost accounted for the entire difference in the figures. This, of course, is not official information, and may or may not be true, but no great jubilation has been heard in Federal headquarters over the cash receipts at Kansas City.

The association games, admittedly, have been poorly attended. Kansas City in the past has been one of the banner association towns, but so far this year has suffered a tremendous shrinkage in receipts. At one of the games with St. Paul not more than 300 paid admissions were recorded. The Federals may have a long purse, but so has Uncle George Tebeau, and, if it is to be a famine, he can hold out as long as can those who are backing the new team.

JOHNNY TILLMAN LICKS EX-CHAMP

HUDSON, Wis., April 24. —The ten round bout between Ad Wolgast and Johnny Tillman here last night was a disappointing affair in which Tillman outpointed Wolgast from beginning to end, with Wolgast calmly accepting the punches and making few attempts to come back at the Minneapolis boy. Tillman's foot work was good and continually took the offensive. The preliminary and semi-wind up were uninteresting.

St. Louis at Pittsburgh.

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Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.

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North Side Briefs

Good show at the Dreamland.

Floyd Thomason, Mindoro, Wis., spent the day with friends on the north side.

A. Ward returned to Minneapolis yesterday after a short visit on the north side.

Theodore Comean spent yesterday visiting his mother in Onalaska.

Miss Edna Larson, 1513 Charles street, has returned from a three weeks' visit in Duluth.

M. Gullickson, West Salem, is spending a few days on the north side.

O'Neil's shoe store. Tennis bargains

J. Gilberg, 1413 Berlin street, has returned from a visit in St. Paul.

Miss Clara Larson, 1513 Charles street, has returned from a visit in St. Paul.

L. Stephenson, 1416 Berlin street, has returned from a visit to St. Paul.

The Men's society of the Charles Street Lutheran church will be entertained tonight by M. Senstad.

A. J. Evenson, 1427 George street, is spending a few days in Savanna with relatives and friends.

Miss Nellie Coady has returned to her home in Sand Lake Coulee, after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hickey, 1346 Charles street.

Miss Victoria Krapewski, who has been confined to her home, 1706 Gillette street, is again able to be about.

Mrs. J. Moore and daughter Margaret have returned to their home in La Crescent after a visit with relatives and friends on the north side.

Miss Doris Simenson, who has been confined to her home, 1724 Loomis street, with illness, is again able to be about.

Mrs. J. Kerrigan, who has been the guest of friends and relatives in Wilton, Wis., has returned to her home, 528 Mill street.

Mr. T. Griffin of Caledonia is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ryan, 914 Gillette street.

Miss Alice Combellick of Trempealeau is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Combellick, 1608 Loomis street.

TEXAS EDITORS MEET

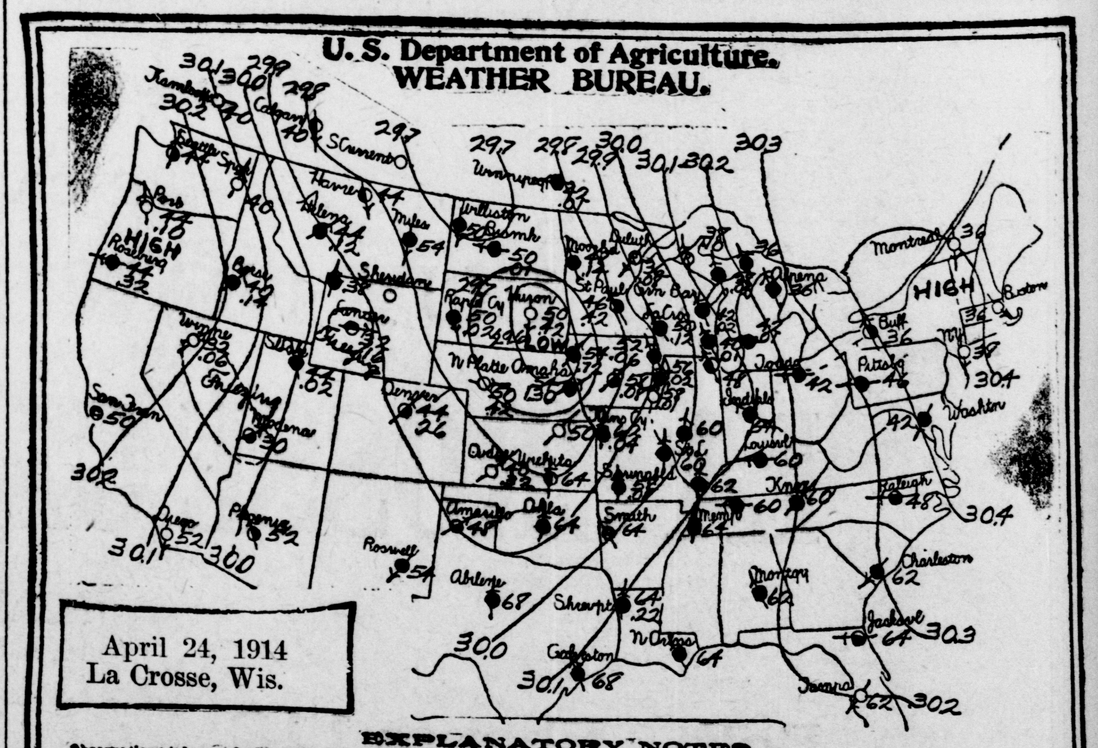
HOUSTON, Texas, April 24.—One of the biggest conventions ever staged in Houston assembled here today, when the National Editorial association opened its sessions. Joe Shipple of Boston, Elbert Hubbard, Mrs. Lee J. Runtree, Governor Colquitt and other noteworthies were among those booked to speak. The convention is to continue three days.

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Washington	42	62	0
Galveston	68	74	0
Jacksonville	64	80	0
New Orleans	64	80	0
Chicago	48	52	0
La Crosse	50	64	.12
Madison	46	56	.04
Memphis	64	78	0
Milwaukee	40	46	.01
Bismarck	50	76	.01
Huron	50	66	.42
Kansas City	62	68	.04
St. Paul	46	64	.42
Boise	40	60	.14
Denver	44	58	.26
Helena	44	64	.12
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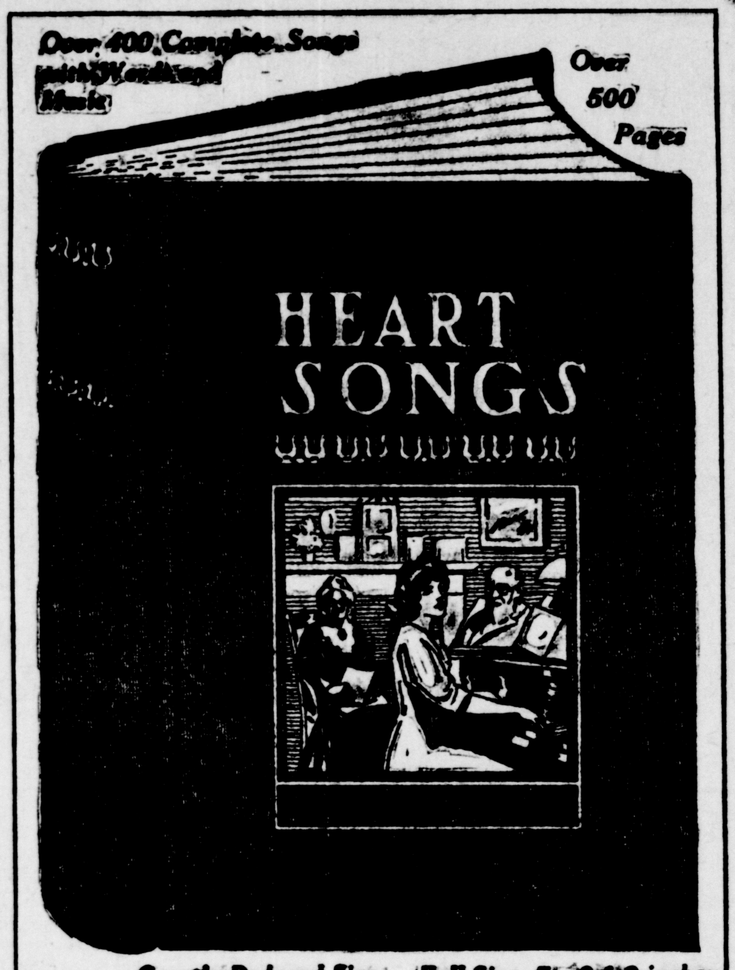
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SURPLICE CLOSINGS A FEATURE OF SPRING GOWNS

BY MAY MANTON



BEADS may be said to be a craze. For some time past, they have been worn in the form of necklaces and chains almost to the point of weariness. Spring models are showing them used for embroidery that unquestionably is rich and handsome. An exquisite gown seen today is of two-toned taffeta giving something of an opalescent effect. The entire skirt is flounced and each flounce is finished with a little tracery of bead embroidery while more elaborate embroidery appears upon the bodice. With a three-piece costume of brown taffeta is shown a blouse of soft creamy lace combined with brown tulle and there are simulated button-holes which consist of two rows of iridescent brown beads and in place of buttons, there are little bunches of these.

Apparently the season is to offer a great many opportunities to the needle woman. Beads in themselves are replete with suggestion and can be utilized in numberless ways and embroidery, both that is executed with silk and that with gold and silver thread is to be extensively employed. The thread are of the Japanese sort that do not tarnish and are easily handled.

One of the most beautiful gowns seen at an afternoon dance was of Liberty satin in tete de negre with trimming of creamy malines lace enriched with embroidery of Japanese silver thread. The tunic, by the way, was about half length and square at the front while it grew gradually deeper toward the back and the corsage of the same lace was overlaid with brown tulle while the inevitable touch of color was found in the deep crushed girdle of moire silk in coral pink. The pink and brown are really delicious together and it is a combination that is constantly growing in favor. Brown tulle of the right shade over cerise or flame color that suits it to a nicety makes as wonderful a combination as well could be seen and the coral shades, the flame shades and the various brown shades are being combined in all sorts of interesting ways.

There are shades of magenta that are really wonderful with blue. An evening costume seen recently was of pale blue taffeta with just a touch of magenta in the girdle that appeared only in bits at the front and back, the sides being concealed by drapery. Often the note of color is found in a huge rose tucked into the girdle and again one sees a tiny cravat giving brightness to the whole costume. It is a season of very fascinating color. It offers many opportunities for individual effects and it presents innumerable attractive phases but it also means the possibility of danger.

COULD anything be prettier than this gown with three frills forming a tunic? It is simple enough to be a boon to the home dressmaker, yet it is absolutely smart and new. One of the spring foulards is shown but this season we use the same design for the simplest cotton material and the handsomest silk. For the medium size, the gown will require 6 yards of material 27, 4¾ yards 44 inches wide, with 2¼ yards of ruffling, or in place of the ruffling, a little vestee of lace can be used, for which will be required ⅜ yard of lace 3 inches wide.

DRAPERIES are popular this season; also we are wearing many combinations of figured and plain materials. This gown illustrates both features. It is a charming gown adapted to almost any afternoon occasion and is attractive when made of silk crêpe, plain and figured. For the medium size, the blouse will require 3¼ yards of material 27, 1⅝ yards 44 inches wide, with ¾ yd. 27 inches wide for the collar and cuffs, ⅝ yard of net, ¾ yard of plaited ruffling for the chemisette: the skirt, 6 yards 27, 4½ yards 44 inches wide, with ⅝ yard 27 for the trimming.

JAPANESE sleeves are the prevailing ones of the season, and this costume shows that feature and also the new collar that stands away from the neck. With it is combined a plain three-piece skirt with circular frills that add an individual touch. For the medium size, the blouse will require 2¼ yards of material 27, 1¼ yards 44 inches wide, with 1⅝ yards of silk for the tirmming, 1⅝ yards of lace 4 inches wide; the skirt 4½ yards 27, 3 yards 44 inches wide, with 1¼ yards 21 in. for the trimming.

YOUNG girls will be delighted with this little frock. It can be made from any one of the fashionable soft fabrics. The embroidered crêpe illustrated is charming, the new taffeta would make up exquisitely, crêpe de chine is one of the prettiest of all things for young girls' wear. To add to the possibilities, the blouse and tunic could be made of one material and the skirt of another; for instance, flowered crêpe over plain, or shadow net over taffeta. For the 16-year size, the dress will require 5½ yards of material 27, 3⅞ yards 44 inches wide.

IN AND OUT THE NEW YORK SHOPS

AMONG the spring models are what are known as "composite" suits, made of two or even three materials. In other models are to be seen combinations of plain silk with the crinkly sort, or serge with moiré and, for formal use, of matellassé moiré,—which is one of the extreme novelties,—combined with plain.

In the matter of color the crude shades that we borrowed last fall from the Cubist palette have all been returned with thanks and we may avail ourselves of soft tender tones that cheer but do not inebriate. There is a pale silvery green known as cactus. Another delicate green, slightly grayer, is called Czarina. Among the brown family, rust is the successor of mahogany and golden brown. Heliotrope and wistaria make their bows again this season and are to be found artfully shown near the new tan called bamboo.

When it comes to the question of texture, ribbed effects are evidently to be fashionable and we will be justified in looking for all ribbed silks and all ribbed wools. We are still under the spell of Oriental beauty in the matter of trimmings. Cotton velours in Persian coloring will continue to hold sway and the successful brocaded effects will be found in silks and in wool fabrics. The new faille silks bid fair to gain a strong hold upon pre-Easter buyers.

Housekeepers who find difficulty in serving hot coffee will be glad of a development of the thermos idea. It consists of a nickle plated coffee pot surrounded by the usual vacuum and the coffee can be kept hot for a number of hours. In addition to being practical, the pot is a handsome one and, in the medium size, can be purchased for $5.00.

Hostesses on the outlook for bridge prizes and dinner souvenirs will be glad to know of potpourri baskets of suitable size. They are filled with a very excellent mixture and, on top of each, there is set a little bouquet of artificial flowers that is quaint and attractive.

For college and, indeed, for any woman who likes to keep cake or similar goodies in her own room are offered tin boxes covered with cretonne that are mouse proof and, at the same time, attractive. They can be purchased for $1.00 each.

Among new trimmings are many beautiful flower bandings but none more useful than a narrow banding of tiny chiffon rose buds that makes an excellent edging and finish for young girls' frocks.

Sashes and fancy girdles make such an important feature of new fashions that slides to hold them are important. New ones for evening wear are made in circular and oval forms and consist of alternating chiffon roses and tiny little bunches of forget-me-not blossoms.

The vogue of the standing ruch and the Medici collar seems to make some sort of support important. Two new ones are of interest. One consists of a strip of tape from which rise tiny little supports of some composition material warranted not to rust. The other is a straight banding of white horse hair woven in open work effect that is pliable and very nearly transparent.

Sashes and girdles are all-important just now. One of the newest sashes to be offered is made of bias silk passed twice around the figure and held at the front with a four-in-hand knot, the ends of which reach to the hem of the skirt.

Velvet is much used for girdles and for trimmings on even the thinnest gowns. Very beautiful new girdles are made of bias plaid velvet, the ends finished with big silk tassels.

Hostesses who are on the search for table linen for afternoon teas or luncheons will surely be glad of small cloths and doylies of handsome plain linen ornamented with what is known as mosaic work. The threads are drawn out and beautiful designs worked thereon while there is an edge worked in the same way. Since all the drawn threads are closely buttonholed over, the cloth and doylies are strong as well as beautiful.

We are entering an era of quaint, old-time trimming, it would seem. The newest gowns are shown with corded seams and corded edges and the very latest tunic gowns show the edges bound with strips of bias silk.

Although we stand in no immediate need of protection from the sun, parasols are being displayed at every turn. Exceedingly handsome, practical ones in coaching style are shown in plain colors with borders of fancy flowered and figured effects.

PRETTY NEGLIGEES AND GRACEFUL HOUSE GOWNS

BY MAY MANTON



THE morning gown that is made with an Empire waist line is always a pretty one. In the illustration, the material is one of the new challies showing Japanese designs with trimming of silk, but, for spring and summer, there are a great many simple washable fabrics that make up most attractively after just such a design. The cotton crêpes are wonderfully lovely, many of the voiles show extremely attractive flower designs that are pretty and dainty dimities and batistes are always serviceable. The sleeves are sewed to the waist portion beneath the tucks and the skirt is cut in four pieces and it can be made in walking length or with a short train.

For the medium size, the gown will require 9 yards of material 27, 6 yards 36, 4½ yards 44 inches wide, with 1½ yards 27 inches wide for trimming.

WHETHER one wants a pretty frilly morning gown or a practical, useful one depends entirely upon what occupation the day will bring. Here are two designs each of which is desirable in its own way.

The draped tea gown is eminently simple, easy to make yet essentially graceful and attractive. The three-piece skirt can be made in walking length or with a train and the sleeves in three-quarter or full length. As shown here, the material is crêpe in a flowered design with trimming of simple silk and lace frills.

For the medium size, the gown will require 7½ yards of material 27, 5⅜ yards 36, 4¼ yards 44, with ⅜ yard 27 inches wide for trimming, 1⅜ yards of lace 6 inches wide.

The plain gown consists of a four gored skirt and a simple waist. It is one of the most useful and practical possible for the active housewife and also can be utilized for nurses' wear.

LATEST NOTES FROM THE FASHION CENTERS

IT is mi-carême now and there is, of course, just an extra vitality in the world's movement, although it is a little difficult to discover any real abatement during the first weeks of the Lenten season. Apparently the world goes on much the same. Fashionable folk may give dinners in place of balls but dances certainly have not been suspended and there is a sufficient gaiety to keep the social world agog.

The opera is perhaps unusually brilliant this season and we have a real feast in the theatrical world so there is abundant amusement and abundant opportunity to see handsome costumes, while the bright, sunny days we have had with us during the past week turn the thoughts of womankind to the need of warm weather clothing with an insistence that is not to be ignored.

Again, each week seems to bring some new opening of spring styles so that, altogether, this is a season of much interest and much activity.

Since we no longer wait for Easter to put off the garments of winter and don those of spring but are guided by the special season, we are likely to see new costumes on the street just as soon as the cold winds have disappeared. Whatever other features may be important, the prevalence of the bright colors used as linings and trimmings is so apparent that it forces itself upon the mind with peculiar insistence.

Again, for evening and dinner wear and for the dances that hold the whole world enthralled there is a great deal of bright color used in costumes or in combination with white, and real emerald green is a conspicuous favorite while a great deal of cerise in varying shades is being worn.

At the opera on a specially brilliant evening of the week, more of these two colors were to be noted in the boxes than any others. The opening displays give marked evidence of their continued favor. The cerise of the most fashionable sort is a little deeper and richer than the color we used to know by that name, with perhaps a little sugg stion of the magenta. It is wonderfully beautiful and it is certainly used with exquisite effect. Following it and the green, the tango red and tango ye low must be said to be first favorites. The red has a little of the yellow suggestion in it and the yellow borders on the orange so that we are to be very brilliant in the details of dress if not in the foundation material.

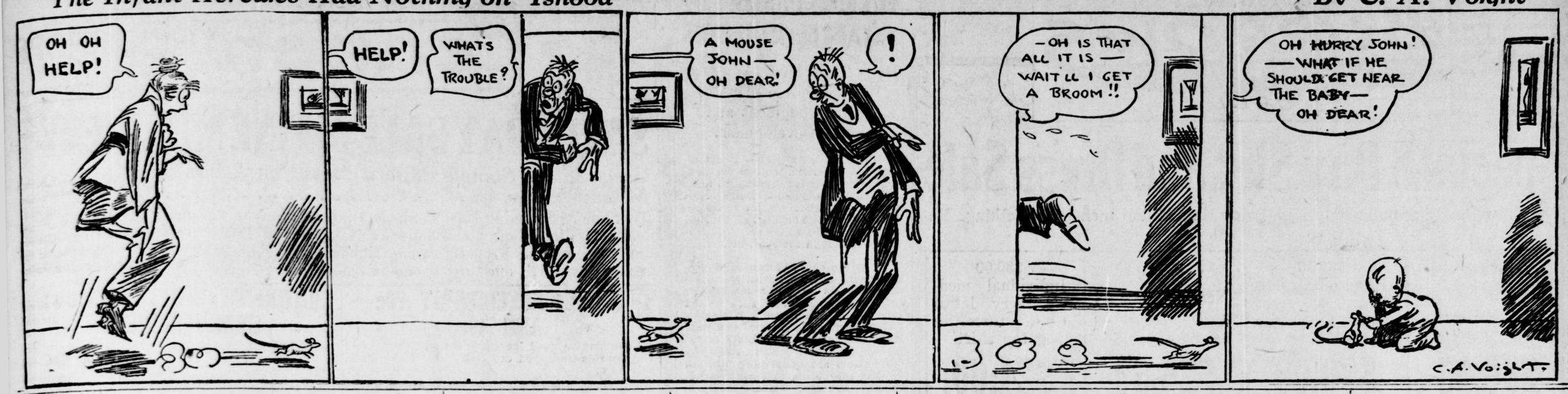
For the street costumes the linings frequently give the note of color. A wonderfully beautiful blue gabardine is, for example, made with a short, loose coat and this coat is lined with a dark blue silk showing figures of vivid red with touches of green and when the coat is thrown open the lining forms the revers. An afternoon costume of yellow gabardine is lined with black silk figured with green, but, let it be added, the whole effect is toned down by plain black collar and cuffs.

We seem to have gone everywhere and studied every possible condition for suggestions for this opening spring. On the one hand there are evidences of Directoire influence; at the next turn the 1830 idea is conspicuous; and a little way on we are likely to encounter a condition which seems suggested by our native Indians. A much exploited costume which bears the name of a high authority in the Parisian world of dress is made of black serge with a girdle of red suède embroidered in beads after a manner to be compared to nothing but the costumes worn by the aborigines of our own continent. As will be readily understood, such conditions call for a great deal of consideration and care. While they often are very striking and very beautiful, they mean many possibilities of danger, for, unless color is well chosen and well handled, there can be only bizarre results. Monsieur Poiret is perhaps more responsible than any other one person for this same condition, but it is the part of the wise woman to choose what is good and adapt prevailing fashions to her need, never to follow blindly in any one's wake.



The Infant Hercules Had Nothing on "Ishood"

By C. A. Voight



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BOTH PHONES 323

HELP WANTED—MALE

PRESS FEEDERS WANTED—A. A. Liesenfeld Printing Co., 209 Main street. 4 22 tf

WANTED—A good barber at once. Address Martin Swenson, Whitehall, Wis. 4 22 5 2

WANTED—Driver at the Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth. 4 22 24

WANTED—Bartender at the Stoddard hotel. 4 22 24

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Girl for general housework. No washing. Apply evenings. 407 South Thirteenth. 4 21 27

WANTED—Two girls at the La Crosse hospital. 4 21 tf

WANTED—Second girl. Call at Mrs. Henry Salzer, 17th and King streets. 4 23 25

WANTED—Girl at once. Nora house. 4 23 25

WANTED—Short order cook, at Hotel Foley, 501 Mill. 4 23 27

WANTED—Nurse girl at 926 Main. 4 23 25

WANTED—Assistant cook and floor maid at Lutheran hospital. 4 17 tf

WANTED—Two dining room girls at Hotel Hanson, Spring Grove, Minn. 4 17 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Good wages. Mrs. Smedal, 1420 Cass. 4 16 tf

WANTED—Girl to wash dishes, at the Wilson house. 4 9 tf

WANTED—Girl at 122 North Seventh. New phone 1395-C. 4 6 tf

WANTED—Girl to do housework at 613 Main. 4 22 24

WANTED—Dining room and kitchen girl at Hotel Doering. 4 22 28

WANTED—Competent cook. Good wages. Mrs. Law, 435 South Fourth. 4 20 tf

WANTED—Girls over 16 to learn making house dresses, aprons, etc. Those familiar with powtr sewing machines preferred. We pay beginners while learning. La Crosse Garment Co., 122-124 South Front street, La Crosse, Wis. 4 4 tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Strawberry plants, Warfields and Dunlaps, 35c per hundred. W. A. Tripp, La Crosse, Wis., R. F. D. No. 3. New phone 2701. 4 18 27

COLUMBIA double disc records, 65c. Weis' Book Store, 533 Main street, opposite St. Joseph's cathedral. 4 10 5 9

FOR SALE—Good stave stove cheap. 912 South Sixteenth. 4 23 25

FOR SALE—Cheap, awning 5x10½ feet, nearly new. Inquire at 308 So. Sixth. 4 23 28

FOR SALE—Automatic refrigerator in good condition. Call at 832 Rose street. 4 23 29

FOR SALE—S. C. Mottled Ancona eggs, 75c per setting of 15 eggs. New line of wall paper at lowest price in town, at 906 Avon street. New phone 1491-M. J. F. Wilbur. 4 23 5 6

FOR SALE—4 h. p. gasoline engine. Inquire 110 Main. 4 23 29

FOR SALE—Blackberry plants, Snider, two and three years old, grown in the open, sure to fruit this season. C. L. Baldwin, new phone 928-C. 4 23 30

FOR SALE—Good team, horse and mare. 2235 Mormon Coulee road. 4 23 29

FOR SALE—Eleven room house, suitable for two families. Cheap if taken at once. Inquire 508 Farnam. 4 16 29

FOR SALE—Black dirt and clay. C. L. Baldwin, Ebner's Coulee. 4 21 27

FOR SALE—Modern house. 1701 Main. 4 18 5 1

FOR SALE—Parlor furniture. 802 Ferry. 4 21 tf

FOR SALE—3 h. p. electric motor. Inquire 915 Logan. 4 1 tf

FOR SALE—Shoe repair shop on South side, with finishing machine, electric motor. S. S., Tribune. 4 21 tf

FOR SALE—Cord wood second growth oak, dry. New phone 2811. 4 21 5 4

FOR SALE—Two English pit bull pups, three months old. New phone 796-A. 4 21 26

FOR SALE—Cheap, nearly new piano, easy terms if desired. 610 Mississippi street. 4 20 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, brand new Anderson Computing Scale, and a baritone horn, at A. J. Ness' Jewelry Store, 309 Pearl street. 4 9 tf

FOR SALE—Some household goods consisting of marble top walnut tables and bureau, together with dressers, commodes, beds, steel couch, etc. Gateway City Transfer Co., 214-216 Vine street. 4 20 25

FOR SALE—Eight room modern house and barn with alley. Will sell cheap and on easy terms account leaving city. 1612 King street. 3 12 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, 25 foot launch hull. Inquire 1025 South Second. 4 20 24

FOR SALE—Farm, 52 acres, seven miles from La Crosse. Inquire B. B., care Tribune. 4 18 24

FOR SALE—Horse Hospital, very cheap. For particulars write E. A. Lamamore, Jackson, Minn. 4 9 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot, cheap, to settle estate. Address House, Tribune. 4 17 30

FOR SALE—Hotel, including bar, feed barn and bowling alley in village of Bangor. Call at Farmers' State Bank, Bangor, Wis. 4 13 tf

FOR SALE—Stockers and feeders, two loads of Angus, weight 900 pounds; two loads Hereford, around 725 pounds; 50 head of calves. John Carrow, Ottumwa, Iowa. Box 128. 4 13 25

FOR SALE—Property at 512 Oakland street. Inquire of F. Rassmann, Beaver Dam, Wis. 3 30 4 29

FIRST CLASS BOILER, $125. Pulleys. H. N. Lain, 1322 South 5th. 3 11 tf

FOR SALE—Three used autos, from $175 up. A large sale cheap. Dietz Auto Garage. 3 19 tf

FOR SALE—Gas stove; bargain. 1225 Jackson street. 4 22 28

FOR SALE—Parlor suite, rug, Morris chair, baby buggy and child's double bed. Call Saturday, 1105 State. 4 22 24

FOR SALE—5 h. p. marine engine. Inquire 620 South Third. 4 22 25

FOR SALE—Sewing machine in first class condition. Will sell at a bargain if taken at once. 1316 Sill street. New phone 1430-R. 4 22 24

FOR SALE—Driving horse, or will trade for heavier horse. Old phone 2023. 4 23 28

FOR SALE—Corner lot, two houses and barn. 802 South Eighth. 4 22 tf

FOR SALE—Five burner gas range, almost new. 1003 Cameron Ave. New phone 1272 Black. 4 22 24

FIRST $125.00 CASH buys Ford automobile; 2 cylinder opposed motor recently overhauled; good tires; needs cleaning and slight repairs, but will give good service; equipment includes runabout, 4-passenger tonneau and attachable truck delivery frame, wind shield, lamps, etc. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth, La Crosse, Wis. 4 7 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, old brick cheese. Henry Anderegg, 625 So. Eighth. Both phones. 3 27 tf

FOR SALE—Trap, suitable for small horse or pony. 821 State street. 3 30 tf

FOR RENT

SIX ROOM cottage, partly modern. Inquire 1739 Badger. 4 13 tf

FOR RENT—Five room furnished flat downtown. Address L. L., Tribune. 4 18 tf

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. 703 Pine. 4 22 tf

TO RENT—1219 Farnam. Apply 913 State. New phone 490-A. 4 22 24

FOR RENT—Steam heated rooms for light housekeeping, modern. 508 South Fifth. 4 22 25

FOR RENT—Furnished flat for housekeeping. New phone 194-A. 4 22 24

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 832 Mill. 4 22 28

FOR RENT—Five room house. Inquire 717 Badger. 4 22 tf

FOR RENT—Four room modern furnished flat for light housekeeping. 712 Cass street. 4 15 tf

FOR RENT—Five rooms, 407 South 23rd street. Call at 7 o'clock evenings. 4 20 tf

FOR RENT—Front room, one of Doerflinger apartments, 503 Cass upstairs. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Seven room house, modern except heat, well located. Phone 739-C. 4 23 tf

FOR RENT—Eight room house. 921 Vine. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Furnished room. 324 Jay street. 4 4 tf

FOR RENT—Eeven room house, with acre of land, near State Road on 22nd street. Inquire 921 Vine. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Single or suite of furnished rooms, very pleasant and modern. 201 South Fifth street. 4 14 tf

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeepingg. 714 Cass. 4 6 tf

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO RENT—By June 1st, modern five to six room house with large garden. Address A. B. W., care of Tribune. 4 21 25

WE CLEAN CARPETS and rugs with our large auto vacuum cleaner. If work is not satisfactory you pay nothing. New phone 819-R. Reeves, 418 Caledonia street. 4 20 tf

WANTED—Five or six room cottage. Call up new phone 957-R. 4 22 24

PLANTING TIME IS HERE—Let us price your wants in the nursery line. Catalogue free. The Northwood Nurseries, Coon Valley, Wis. 4 22 5 2

LACE CURTAINS done up reasonable. New phone 951-A. 4 22 tf

WANTED TO RENT by May 1, 7 or more rooms, also barn. New phone 639-M. 4 22 29

WANTED—A four or five passenger car (Ford preferred). Must be in good running order. A. Eggen, 417 North Tenth street, city. 4 23 25

I WANT you to try a Brilliant Electric Suction Cleaner in your home free. A. O. Colby. 4 20 25

WANTED—To lease hotel and bar. Live Wisconsin town preferred. Address Bar, care of Tribune. 4 18 24

DRAYMEN ATTENTION! Free dumping ground for rubbish and for ashes, cinders and dirt we will pay. Standard Oil Company, Causeway plant. 4 14 24

WEIS' BOOK STORE is now located at 533 Main street, opposite St. Joseph's cathedral. 4 10 5 9

FOR HAULING ASHES and general teaming address H, care of Tribune. 4 2 5 1

NOW IS YOUR TIME to trade city property for improved or unimproved lands. Come and see me or write. Geo. H. Prock, Rice Lake, Wis. 3 31 4 30

UMBRELLAS REPAIRED. A. Mintz, 327 North Sixth. New phone 1561-C. 3 31 tf

LOST

LOST—Gold chain with pearl pendant, probably between 20th and Cass and the normal school. Reward at Tribune office. Phone 323. 4 3 tf

LOST—Pocketbook containing $5 bill and small change, between Sumner and Mill streets on Hagar. Return to 716 Sumner. 4 23 25

LOST—Pocketbook containing $42, owned by Ray Munn. Return to Oyen Sign Co., 125 North Third. Reward. 4 22 25

Cut Rate Shipping

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis-Minn.

Poultry Department



BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK eggs, $1.00 for 15; $4.00 per hundred. Van Loon, La Crosse, Wis. Old phone 2054. 3 20 tf

ROSE COMB RHODE ISLAND REDS —Red to the skin, extra good color and size. Eggs $1.50 for 15; $5.00 for 100. Satisfaction guaranteed. W. H. Reed, Canton, Minn. 4 11 23

ROSE COMB BROWN LEGHORN eggs for hatching, $2.50 for 50; $4.00 for 100 eggs. John Schriver, 400 South Third street. 4 23 25

FOUND

FOUND—Girl's gold bracelet. Picked up last winter. Apply Tribune office. 4 3 tf

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION paid up stock is all right. 3 19 tf

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 tf

LOANS on furniture and real estate. J. W. Smith, 311 Pearl. 5 5 tf

Piano Tuning

RENIER Piano Co., New Phone 1244-M, 322 South Fourth street. 2 13 tf

Stoves and Furniture

WE PAY HIGHEST PRICES for all second-hand stoves, furniture, carpets, clothing, etc. Jacob's, 223 Pearl street. New phone 555-R. 4 4 5 3

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE and stoves. Bell Furniture & Stove Co., 216 South Third street, new telephone 1581-M. 3 2 tf

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

MILLER BROS., undertakers and embalmers, 720 Main. Phones 286. Open day and night.

RAY DETECTIVE SERVICE Expert shadows. Investigators, photography, commercial checking, etc. Confidential information obtained by experienced secret service men. Some divorce cases. P. O. Box 116, St. Paul, Minn. 4 21 28

AVIATOR OFFERS TO FIGHT

MINNEAPOLIS, April 24. —Aviator Heine, a Canadian who has made notable flights with passengers here today volunteered the use of his aeroplane and services to Secretary Garrison to clean Mexican gunners out of the mountain passes and Mexico City. Heine declared that, flying at a height of 5,000 feet he would safe from the Mexican bullets and could drop bombs which would annihilate the Mexicans. He says that he will guarantee that small bands of Mexicans will not hold the mountain passes if he is allowed to sail over them and drop bombs.

BORAH KICKS AT MEXICAN STRIFE

WASHINGTON, April 24.—"Before another 48 hours we will be at war with united Mexico," declared Senator Borah this afternoon, in urging an amendment to the bill appropriating $500,000 for the bringing of American citizens out of that country. Borah demanded an amendment which would promise Mexico that we would withdraw from that country at once and leave it to regulate its own affairs.

"If our present policy is persisted in," Borah said, "it will eventually lead to seizure by the United States of every foot of land from here to the Panama canal. I want the congress to know that I would regard this as a national disaster, as a national crime. We will be in contention with the Mexican forces for so long that we will lose the habit of coming out of that country. I reiterate that if the flag goes up in Mexico it will never come down."

VISIT WESTERN PRISONS

MADISON, Wis., April 24.—President Ralph E. Smith and Secretary Matt Tappins of the state board of control have left on a trip to visit prisons in the middle west, with especial attention to the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan. They will return May 1. The board will meet May 5.

STORE INCORPORATES

Articles of incorporation for the Berg & Jones department Store Co. of Rockland were filed with the register of deeds this morning. The capital stock of the new firm is $20,000. Following are the parties of the corporation: N. C. Berg, S. R. Jones, W. O. Jones, Thomas Davis and Albert Onstine.

Some aviators are getting only $2.50 a flight now. Perhaps they will soon be paying for the privilege of riding in airships.

DAILY MARKETS

Wholesale Fruit
(Quoted by John G. Burns.)

Figs, Calif., 12 to 12 oz.	85c
Dates, Anchor, 30 packages	$2.50
Dates, Excelsior, 30 packages	$2.75
Dates, Dromedary, 30 packages	$3.00
New Dates, per pound	6c
Bananas, per bunch	$1.50 to $2.00
California Lemons, box	$4.00 to 4.50
Lemons, Verdelli, 30 size box	$4.00
Oysters, Standards, gallon	$1.50
Cabbage, per hundred	$3.00
Oranges, Cal., box	$2.75
Grape Fruit	$4.00
Apples, Northern Spys	$5.00
Apples, Snows	$5.00
Apples, Grimes Golden	$5.00
Apples, Baldwins	$6.90
Apples, Greenings	$6.00
Apples, Cooking	$4.00
Apples, boxes	$1.75 to $1.90
Canada Rutabagas, per bu.	75c
Cider, Refined, per barrel	$6.50
Cider, Pure Juice, per barrel	$6.00
Cider, Crab Apple, half barrel	$5.50
Cider, Refined, half barrel	$3.75
Cider, Pure Juice, half barrel	$3.50
Onions, Yellow, per hd.	$4.00
Potatoes, per bushel	70c
Strawberries, per quart	50c

Livestock
(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs	$7.50 to $8.00
Steers	$3.50 to $6.50
Cows	$3.00 to $5.00
Heifers	$3.00 to $5.50
Sheep	$2.50 to $3.00
Spring Lambs	$5.50 to $6.00

Poultry

Chickens	13 to 15c
Ducks	12 to 13c
Turkeys	14 to 15c
Geese	11 to 12c

Provisions

Lard, per pound	13¼ to 13¾c
Shoulders, per pound	13½c
Hams, per pound	16 to 16½c
Bacon, per pound	17 to 20c
Dried Beef, per pound	28 to 32c

Butter and Eggs
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound	25 to 27c
Dairy butter, pound	22c
Eggs, fresh, dozen	18c
Eggs, seconds, dozen	16c

Grain
(Quoted by Thomas Phalon Co.)

Corn	50 to 60c
Oats	32 to 38c
Wheat	75 to 80c
Rye	50 to 52c
Barley	50 to 65c

Flour and Feed
(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Patent, per barrel	$4.90
Straight, per barrel	$4.70

Mill Feed

Bran, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$27.00
Shorts, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$28.00
White middlings, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$30.00
Red Dog, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$31.00

Cheese
(Quoted by Hy. Anderegg)

Fancy full cream twins	14¼ to 16c
Fancy full cream daisies	15 to 16c
Fancy full cream limburger	16 to 18c
Fancy full cream Swiss block	17-18c

"PAID IN FULL" AT THE CASINO

"Paid in Full," the tremendous five-season theatrical success which enjoys a record run on Broadway, New York, has been adapted into scenario form and under the direction of Augustus Thomas of the All Star Feature corporation has been produced in a five-part moving picture of powerful strength. Tully Marshall, the originator of the character of the young husband, Joe Brooks, William Riley Hatch, who plays Captain Williams, the rugged old reprobate, and Hattie Russell in the part of Mrs. Harris, are of the original Broadway cast. Supported by a most unusual cast of favorite players, these artists have been persuaded to again appear in their old roles for the camera and are to be seen in the film production.

"Paid in Full" will be shown at the Casino theater for three days, starting this afternoon and continuing until Saturday night.

This is the first time a big attraction has been shown at any local picture theater for three days, but Manager McWilliams considers "Paid in Full" worthy of this distinction.

BRICK FINE ARGUMENT

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 24.—Jose De Ormando, Mexican laborer, awoke in the Emergency hospital at noon today to explain that an early morning extra had been the indirect cause of his going to bed. Jose quarreled with his brother over the stand of the rebels as announced in the extra. A well aimed brick landing squarely on Jose's chin was the brother's best argument.

IS A MEXICAN WAR VETERAN ALIVE IN LA CROSSE COUNTY?

Is there a veteran of the Mexican war alive in La Crosse county?

Do you know of a veteran in the county?

If you are one or if you know of one, please write or telephone The Tribune office. 323 either 'phone, the names and addresses.

The Mexican war was declared in 1846.

LA CROSSE WOMAN ANSWERS SUMMONS

Mrs. Antonia Miller, aged 53, wife of Julius Miller, died last night at 6:15 at her home, 415 Jackson street, after an illness of eight weeks.

Mrs. Miller was born in Germany, December 21, 1861, coming to this country with her parents when an infant. She was married 32 years ago to Mr. Miller.

Surviving are a widower, one son, Edward, two daughters, Mrs. Sophie Lee and Mrs. Henry Kowalke, one brother, Charles Horn and one grand child, Donald Lee, all of La Crosse.

The funeral will be held Saturday morning at 8:30 at the residence and at 9 o'clock at St. Joseph's cathedral, Rev. G. Sluyter officiating. Interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery.

CHARLES JAEKEL GOES TO REWARD

Charles A. Jaekel died Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock at his home, 2003 Michel street, after a two days' illness with a complication of diseases. He was 48 years old.

Mr. Jaekel was born in Germany March 26, 1866, coming to this country and La Crosse with his parents at the age of 6 years. He has lived here since. For a number of years he was a glazier, later following the paint and wall paper business.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Anna Jaekel, six children, Agnes, Leona, Meta, Elsie, Earl and Carl, all of La Crosse, one brother, J. G. Jaekel of La Crosse, and two sisters, Mrs. Albert Fischer of La Crosse and Mrs. Richard Loehn of New Orleans, La.

The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home and at 2:30 at the German Lutheran church, Twelfth street and Cameron avenue, Rev. J. T. Gamm officiating. Interment will take place in Oak Grove cemetery.

ASSESSORS MEET

Sixteen assessors of La Crosse county, State Tax Commissioner Thomas E. Lyons, and several county officials interested in taxation are in session in the county court house this afternoon. The purpose of the meeting is for the explanation of amendments in the income tax law and a general discussion of assessment work.

FUNERAL SATURDAY

The funeral services of W. S. Jamesson, who died Wednesday morning at the age of 72 years, as the result of a fall last February, will be held Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at the home, 908 Mill street. Burial will take place in Oak Grove cemetery.

BOLLES SPENT $1.05

The election expense account of F. C. Bolles, successful candidate for member of the county board of education, was today filed with Andrew Thompson, register of deeds. Bolles spent $1.05 in his campaign.

PREFER WORK TO MEXICAN WAR

Rather than fight in Mexico under Dictator Huerta or the rebel commanders, Villa and Carranza, several thousands of Mexicans are daily coming north to shovel and gravel along the right of way of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy and other railroads. Many are employed near La Crosse.

FOR SALE

Make me an offer on a good lot, n Hillview addition, facing park. Address 59 Tribune.

FOR RENT—Two office rooms, one with fire-proof vault. Batavian National Bank.

WANTED---Female Help

We are in need of a few more girls in our knitting department. Good wages, steady work, plenty of light, sanitary conditions and a comfortable place to work. Call at once if you wish a good job. La Crosse Knitting Works.

SALE

SATURDAY ONLY

Household furniture of all kinds. Prices slaughtered. Real bargains. Call 915 South Eighth street after 9 a. m.

House FOR SALE

2135 Market Street

5 rooms, partly modern.

Paved Street. 5686 Old Phone

FREED OF CHARGE

Ed Hintgen was merely attempting to defend himself from the attack of Lizzie Kaiser when she wasc struck by a rake in the mix-up, according to the decison reached yesterday by Judge John Brindley. Mrs. Kaiser had Hintgen arrested for striking her over the head with the rake but the testimony showed he was but warding off a blow and that the rake was in the hands of the woman. The judge declared that if Hintgen was in the wrong his attorney would doubtlessly deal out sufficient punishment.

ROAD ANSWERS SUIT

The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad company today filed an answer to the damage suit brought by Louis Wellington for alleged injuries in a railroad acident. The answer sets forth that Wellington has already received $60 from the company in full settlement of his claim and that the suit was brought without his knowledge.

WANTS VESSELS QUICK

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels today wired the Brooklyn navy yard to ascertain the earliest date on which the battleships New York and Texas, now undergoing repairs, can be placed in commission.

STUDENTS TO CELEBRATE

MADISON, Wis., April 24.—Following the announcement that four American marines had been killed in Vera Cruz, a crowd of fifty University of Wisconsin students who intend to enlist, gave a demonstration through the streets of Madison.

BURROWS

407-409 MAIN STREET

Store De Luxe

Special 8 Day Suit and Dress Sale

The Entire Stock of Suits Re-priced. Every New Model Included. Nothing Reserved.

$42.50	$37.50	$32.50	$30.00
Silk Suits, a variety of styles, shades and sizes	Handsome Cloth Suits, a great many to choose from—	Very newest models, must be seen for value—	Individual models, very latest cut, three-tier peg top skirts—
$30.00	**$30.00**	**$26.50**	**$24.00**

SUITS at

$25.00	$20.00	$15.00	$12.50
$20.00	$16.00	$12.00	$10.00

DRESSES of every descriptive material, made into the up to the minute styles at lowest prices. Sizes for Women, Misses and Girls.....**$2.75 to $57.50**

COATS

of Cloth, Silk and Novelty materials.

$5.75, $7.50, $9.95, $11.50, $14.00, $16.50, $18.95

And upward.

COATS

Balmacaan style, of Navy and Black Serge, Fancy Mixtures and Men's wear materials—

$6.50, $9.95, $11.50, $15.00

SKIRTS

are very popular and dressy this season. We have several hundred for your selection.

$2.95 to $15.00

Princess Slips, Petticoats, Bath Robes, Knickerbockers and Pantaloons at Lowest Prices.

WAISTS

for every occasion. Beautiful Laces, Crepes, Nets, Chiffons, also Wash Waists and Middys,

50c to $15.00

THE PLAYER PIANO USED IN OUR STORE IS FURNISHED BY MR. PHILLIPS OF THE NELSON FURNITURE CO.'S STORE.

TROUBLE IN MEXICO BRINGS THESE MILITARY MEN INTO THE SPOTLIGHT



Brigadier General A. L. Mills (left) and Major General George Barnett.

The affairs of the past few days have brought these men into the spotlight. Brigadier General Mills is chief of the division of militia affairs of the U. S. army. Major General Barnett is commander-in-chief of the United States marine corps.

Mention a town, and Jude Johnson will say he established it and set it on its feet.

The best cure for the man who always thinks he can do things better than they are being done is to try.

UGH! NOT CALOMEL, OIL OR SALTS, TAKE "CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS."

Delicious "fruit laxative" cleanses stomach, liver and bowels.

A harmless cure for sick headache, biliousness, sour stomach, constipation, indigestion, coated tongue, sallowness—take "California Syrup of Figs." For the cause of all such misery comes from a torpid liver and sluggish bowels.

A tablespoonful tonight means all constipation poison, waste matter, fermenting food and sour bile gently moved out of your system by morning without griping. Please don't think of "California Syrup of Figs" as a physic. Don't think you are drugging yourself or your children, because this delicious fruit laxative can not cause injury. Even the most delicate child can take it as safely as a robust man. It is the most harmless, effective stomach, liver and bowed cleanser, regulator and tonic ever devised.

Your only difficulty may be in getting the genuine, so ask your druggist for a 50 cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup" company. This city has many counterfeit "fig syrups," so watch out.

BATTLE OF MINERS RENEWED IN NIGHT

One Striker Killed in Fighting in Streets of Walsenburg Yesterday

GATHER TO OPPOSE THE MILITIA

Serious Clash Is Expected Between Troops and Men at Walsenburg

TRINIDAD, Col., April 24. — One thousand armed strikers from the United miners' tent colony at Aguilar early today were gathering below Walsenburg to oppose the advance of 369 state militiamen under command of Brigadier General John C. Chase, who left Denver yesterday. Behind the strikers lay the smoking ruins of eight great coal properties, in the coal field between Delagua and Rouse, over which fighting between strikers and mine guards raged all day.

One striker was shot in a battle in the streets of Walsenburg last night. The list of known dead in the Ludlow district, where the miners' tent colony was burned has grown to twenty-nine and it is believed by operators that at least a score or more strikers and guards lie dead in the fields over which the fighting raged yesterday. Scores are wounded.

Shortly after midnight the special troop train reached Walsenburg Junction, where horses were unloaded. It was planned to proceed to Walsenburg under a cavalry guard, there detrain and march to Trinidad and Ludlow.

The indications early today were that the serious fighting of today would rage in and around Walsenburg. The women and children there are being placed in protection cellars.

John McLennan, district president of the miners, was arrested by militiamen at Ludlow late last night as he was passing through enroute from Trinidad.

"HONEST JACK" GETS GEMS

CHICAGO, April 24.—Fifteen detectives were detailed today to search for "Honest Jack," a messenger who disappeared with a sample case containing jewelry valued at about $40,000. While Salesman Anton was in a jewelry store, the messenger and sample case disappeared.

Detective—Does anyone know the real value of the stolen jewels? Actress—No one but my maid. Detective—That lets her out. I suspect either the chauffeur or the cook.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

A banana peel is a more dangerous thing to slip up on than a peal of laughter.

ENGLISH PRAISE YANKEE ATHLETES

Daily Mail Says American Victories Are Due to Better Judgment and Form Development

NEW YORK, April 24.—In discussing the American golfers in England to compete for the English amateur title, the London Daily Mail made a real discovery for the English and wrote about it. The Mail hit pretty solidly at the secret of American success in the sport field when it said:

"It is the spirit of foresight, perseverance, and minute attention to details that has brought American victory in so many and such varied branches of sport, and it is precisely this spirit we in Britain, as a rule, lack, as we are as deliberately casual as our foreign, especially American competitors are deliberately careful, in that they bring to these international contests extra keenness, stronger desire to win, and sounder and more scientific habit of insurance against risks and far greater readiness to submit to necessary trouble and discipline."

"Thoroughness" is the watchword in American sports. In baseball the game has developed until the master mind with an inferior club may lead a better team with inferior leadership. It is the attention to detail, the careful planning of attack and defense that wins ball games, as well as the slugging of the batsmen and the work in the field.

In track and field sports, look back over the strides that have been made during the past ten years. Records have constantly been lowered, due as much to "form" as to the development of a higher type of athlete. Not many years ago hurdlers were topping the sticks by "taking off" from the left foot and then gracefully curling the right leg with a band at the knee as the hurdle was cleared. The runner cleared the hurdle by several inches. Then Kraenzlein introduced the "split." Instead of wasting time in sailing gracefully over the hurdle, the right leg was lifted forward and upward straight out. Extra effort was put in the take off, but not so that the hurdle would be cleared with inches to spare. The clearing of the hurdle has now been "boiled down" until the fastest men make it what is little more than a long, high step. In all running the arms have been brought more into play. It is recognized that a man especially a sprinter, may run with his arms almost as much as with his legs. The straight up and down "pumping" of the arms, bent at the elbow by which the sprinted lofts himself along, coupled with up and down action and "reaching" with legs has clipped seconds off every record. It is long since you have seen even a high school runner kicking his heels up in back. It is now a case of reach forward, life the knees high, and avoid every lost motion.

Commenting further on the lack of attention to details by the English, the Daily Mail said: "The consequence is that we rarely turn a potentially first-rate man into an actually first rate man." That is where this country now shines at its best. The training methods, the years of study which have been given the various sports by the men interested in them, have brought out "form"—the result of superior training—which makes a trained man of mediocre ability better than a man of great native ability but no training, and lifts the man of natural ability from the class of the ordinary performers to that of the record holders.

The Aurora Borealis.

The aurora borealis, or northern dawn, is an electrical phenomenon which in high northern latitudes, especially in winter, illuminates the skies with streamers of light. As the streams of light have a tremendous motion, they are called in many places the "merry dances." They assume many shapes and a variety of colors, from a pale red or yellow to a deep red or blood color, and in the northern latitudes they serve to illuminate the earth and cheer the gloom of the long winter nights. The connection of the aurora displays with the disturbance of the magnetic needle is now regarded as an ascertained fact.

Tod Sloan has forsaken the racing game, but he is now going the pace that kills. He has purchased a saloon.

POSLAM'S RARE HEALING POWER AMAZES ALL

Poslam daily proves a cause of wonder to thousands because of the rapidity of its action in soothing, controlling and eradicating any skin disease.

Its healing powers are felt at once. Itching stops. Inflamed skin is comforted. Improvement may be noted daily.

All Eczema, Acne, Salt Rheum, Tetter, Piles, Barbers' Itch and similar diseases demand precisely the curative properties which Poslam supplies. Poslam brings freedom from skin distress. You cannot set it too difficult a task.

All druggists sell Poslam. For free sample, write to Emergency Laboratories, 32 West 25th street, New York.

Poslam Soap is best for the skin and scalp. Improves. Beautifies. New Toilet Size 15 cents.

Trimmed Hats at $2.69

410 MAIN STREET

Lennon's

Trimmed Hats at $2.69

SATURDAY SALE of FINE MILLINERY

Great Sale of Sample Pattern Hats for Ladies' and Misses' Wear, at **$2.69**

This line of Stunning Hats includes a large variety of the most advance styles and colors in Sailors and Bandeaux Hats, chic styles, trimmed with ostrich, fancy wings and French flowers, ribbons, etc. These Hats are reasonably worth one-third to one-half more than Saturday's price **$2.69**

CORSET SPECIALS AT 79c AND 49c

If you want a good inexpensive Corset built on fashionable lines, you can find the style and size here.

$1.00 values at each ..... **79c** | 75c values at each **49c**

CHILDREN'S WHITE SCHOOL HANDKERCHIEFS

Hemstitched, 5c values, at each **1½c**

Ladies' all linen Initialed and plain linen Handkerchiefs, special at each..... **5c**

Hair Goods

Real Hair Switch, 22 and 24 inches, three stem, natural wavy, $2 value..... **98c**

Silk Gloves

Women's 16 button length Silk Gloves, a fine $1.00 value, Saturday per pair **69c**



Wear a **Redfern Corset**

and your Figure will be Correct. You will still be wearing it long after an ordinary corset would have gone to pieces for REDFERN Corsets are extraordinary corsets, DESIGNED TO FIT AND MADE TO WEAR. We guarantee REDFERN Corsets not to rust, break or tear and the design to be in accurate keeping with the season's Fashion in Dress **Priced $3.00**

'WE LOVE AMERICANS,' SAYS MEXICAN ENVOY



Charge d'Affaires Algara.

"Huerta or anyone else will have a difficult time raising an army to fight the United States. Why, the great rank and file of my people love you Americans as brothers and bearing arms against you is the last thing we are considering."

This is the remarkable statement made this week in Washington by Charge d'Affaires Algara, now at the head of the Mexican embassy in the national capital.

TRAVELERS MEET

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Wis., April 24.—Traveling men from all over the state were gathered here today for the annual convention of the Travelers' Protective association. Convention headquarters will be in the court house. The armory will be used for a banquet which is the big entertainment oo the bill.

She Recalled an Instance.

"Mrs. Peddicord," said that lady's husband, "did you ever say anything that you afterward regretted saying?"

"Certainly. I said 'Yes' once and have been sorry for it ever since."—Detroit Free Press.

City Grocery

BOTH PHONES — A. A. JOHNSON, Mgr.

The Home of Good Things to Eat.

A large variety of Fruits and Vegetables.

We receive daily shipments of home-grown Radishes, Lettuce, Green Onions and Rhubarb.

California Oranges are now at their best. Special for tomorrow at per dozen **25c**

We are holding our Annual Spring Clearing Sale of Canned Fruits and Vegetables. If your supply is getting low, now is a good time to buy.

SPECIAL FOR THE KIDS

Cocoanuts, nice big ones, tomorrow only each **5c**

Advertising.

The reason a merchant is a merchant is because he isn't satisfied with his business if he doesn't do any advertising and isn't satisfied with his advertising if he doesn't do any business.—Dallas News.

Too Much Winding.

"What are you making such a fuss about? I thought being executor of an estate was a soft thing."

"Perhaps it is sometimes. But I have to wind up the affairs of a clockmaker."—Judge.

NOSE AND HEAD STOPPED UP FROM COLD OR CATARRH, OPEN AT ONCE

My Cleansing, Healing Balm Instantly Clears Nose, Head and Throat—Stops Nasty Catarrhal Discharges. Dull Headache Goes

Try "Ely's Cream Balm."

Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache will disappear. By morning! the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

U. S. FIELD ARTILLERY IN ACTION AT SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS



This picture was taken recently at San Antonio, Texas, and shows the field artillery practicing the war game. This scene will be typical of many if the troops are sent into Mexico.

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1,300 AMERICANS ARE IN DEADLY PERIL ABANDON U. S. MEXICAN CONSULATES SHOOT AT U. S. PATROL AND BURN CITY

U. S. CITIZENS IN MEXICO CITY AT MERCY OF SAVAGE DICTATOR REBEL LEADERS MAY BREAK

HUERTA URGES MOB TO RIOT AGAINST AMERICAN CITIZENS

By WILLIAM G. SHEPHERD, Staff Correspondent of United Press.
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VERA CRUZ, Mexico, April 24. — Eight hundred Americans are still in Mexico City today at the mercy of the Dictator Huerta. Anti-American demonstrations are constantly in progress.

Blind with anger, Huerta has instructed the police and soldiers not to molest mobs which have rioted in front of the American club, torn the coat of arms from the door of the consulate, and stoned and insulted the Americans who were brave enough to appear on the streets.

The American club has been abandoned and later looted by Mexicans. The American hotel has also been deserted. Nelson O'Shaughnessy, American charge d'affaires, announced that he was going to Vera Cruz, but it was the intention of O'Shaughnessy to leave secretly for Manzanillo on the west coast.

Since Tuesday, when Vera Cruz was taken, Americans have carried their lives in their hands in Mexico City. As the men worked tirelessly in the embassy preparing rifles and machine guns for action, the brave women of the colony constantly encouraged their husbands. There was no sign of fear. Mrs. O'Shaughnessy was ill from nervousness, but she served tea in the embassy to the men and women who were preparing to defend themselves against an expected attack from the infuriated Mexicans. Most of the time Mrs. O'Shaughnessy was prostrated upon a couch, but showing the utmost bravery, she graciously encouraged her husband and all who were working with him.

I arrived in Vera Cruz today with 150 men, women and children, from the American, English and German colonies in Mexico. Another train was due to leave the capital at 7 o'clock this morning and many more Americans may escape from the city. Those remaining, however, are dependent upon Sir Lionel Carden, the British ambassador, for protection. He is doing everything possible to protect them, and his plan when our party left was to distribute the Americans to the various embassies.

Left Wednesday

It was Wednesday evening when the sixty Americans, arriving here today, left Mexico City on what was really a British refugee train. The men, women and children left behind were hiding in their homes, trusting that Sir Lionel Carden would protect them.

Tuesday night every man in the American colony, including the correspondents, went to the embassy and prepared 275 rifles and two machine guns for use. They were in the basement, and all were brought out, tested and found to be ready.

Every interview between O'Shaughnessy and General Huerta increased the blind anger of the dictator. When I last saw the charge he was unspeakably worried.

The last report we heard was that Huerta planned to strip the embassy of its guns in retaliation for the taking of Vera Cruz. He had already seized the railroads and the cable and refused to permit O'Shaughnessy, Consul General Shanklin or Captain Burnsides, the militia attache, to send messages of any description.

"All I want is to get the embassy out of here," was the statement of

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VILLA DECLARES HE'S WITH U. S. DON'T WANT WAR

EL PASO, Texas, April 24.—Wild excitement yesterday, born of baseless rumors that General Francisco Villa's rebel troops had attacked or would attack El Paso, was succeeded by calmness today. The presence in Juarez of Villa himself is responsible for the changed feeling and the secret of the hold he has on his followers has been partially explained to Americans. He has the faculty of impressing men with the feeling that he will do whatever he promises. Villa told the newspaper men there would be no war between the United States and the constitutionalists. People on the American side of the Rio Grande immediately dismissed the sensational war rumors as groundless, and resumed their business.

Nevertheless, the United States government is evidently taking no chances. Brigadier General Funston and his brigade from San Francisco will arrive Sunday.

Villa says he will remain in Juarez until the excitement abates, probably a week or ten days—when he will return to Torreon and resume his campaign against Huerta.

Villa brought with him General Felipe Angeles, commander of the rebel artillery division, and General Torribeo Ortega, one of Villa's principal commanders.

The generals were escorted by fifteen soldiers, instead of twelve thousand as reported by sensational newspapers yesterday.

General Villa upon his arrival in Juarez from Chihuahua said:

"We do not want a war with the United States or any foreign nation. Mexico has troubles of her own and Mexico can settle them if it is but given a little time. Personally I believe they are on the point of settlement now. I came to Juarez to meet my good American friends, to extend to them a hand of friendship and to thank them for the great interest they have taken in the efforts of the constitutionalists to restore peace to my unhappy country.

"I do not want war and I am sure your people do not. We have always been good friends, haven't we? Why, shouldn't we continue that way? You may rest assured I will do all in my power to see that there is no change in our relationship."

150 Refugees Safe.

A special train carrying 150 American refugees from Chihuahua, Parrel and Torreon, reached Juarez early today. The refugees crossed immediately to the American side.

Although several, refugees fled voluntarily, others asserted that Marion Letcher, United State consul at Chihuahua, had instructed them to leave. Some declared they intended to return in a few days. Conditions in Chihuahua, Parral and Toreon are quiet and nothing in the of an anti-American outbreak has been threatened. Before Carranza's letter to President Wilson was published in the Mexican press or circulated in various cities of northern Mexico it was modified in language, in an effort to prevent the inflaming of the Mexican minds.

Some refugees said they had it on reliable authority that General Carranza and General Villa were on the verge of a break on account of Carranza's attitude towards the United States government. Villa, they said, had refused to back Carranza's request that American marines be withdrawn from Mexican soil.

TEXAS MILITIA OUT

AUSTIN, Texas, April 24. — At noon Gov. Colquitt ordered eight more companies of the national guard to Brownsville, where the situation is said to be acute. Two were sent last night. Gov. Colquitt says two more regiments will probably be mobilized on the border at points yet to be determined.

CONSUL APPEALS FOR FORCES TO PROTECT CITIZENS

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 24.—The monitor Cheyenne, rushed under full steam to Ensenada to rescue United States Consul Guyant and other Americans said to be besieged in the consulate by armed Mexicans, is believed to have reached there at daylight today.

"Have taken refuge in consulate. Situation critical. Please send war ships immediately."

This is the text of the latest message received from Guyant. Coming, as it did after a message reporting the entire Mexican population as menacing the Americans, it is regarded as ominous. Although the Cheyenne has not reported, it is believed she has completed her trip. She left the harbor here at 10:30 p. m. and could easily make the ninety miles to Ensenada in eight or ten hours.

MAYOR REFUSES TO SIGN ORDERS FOR OFFICIALS

On Advice of City Attorney Sorensen Keeps Signatures Off Orders for City Aldermen

TORRANCE WITHDRAWS HIS BILL

Alderman and Former Mayor Pulls Back Accounts to Have Been Voted on by Council

SAYS HE DID IT FOR B. OTT & SONS

Former Mayor Contends the Firm that Received Contract Was Unable to Make Casting

Upon advice of City Attorney J. E. Higbee, Mayor Ori J. Sorensen today refused to sign orders, drawn in favor of certain city officials, for supplies furnished the city of La Crosse.

The action of the mayor is the result of an announcement made recently by former City Attorney A. H. Schubert that he would hold city officers personally responsible for all sums paid city officials for supplies or work for the municipality.

Alderman William Torrance, president of the council and former mayor, had bills totalling several hundred dollars and, it is claimed, withdrew these bills. The amount of money which Mr. Torrance was supposed to collect from the city was over $300, it is said, and bills for this amount were in. Yesterday, or the day before, they were withdrawn and today the city clerk was not called upon to issue orders for the amounts.

Hoffman Wouldn't Sign

E. H. Hoffman refused to sign any orders until after the mayor had attached his signature to them and City Comptroller William Fries announced that he had signed only such orders as had previously been signed by both the mayor and the city

Among the bills which the mayor refused to sign this morning was one for $67.96 to B. Ott & Sons for iron work. This is a job which, it is alleged, was performed by Alderman Torrance. The Ott people, according to the claims of Mr. Schubert, put in the bid, secured the contract and

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LOCAL MEN IN UNCLE SAM'S ARMY AND NAVY



Captain Brooks Shuman, with the 24th infantry in the Philippines.



Ensign Fred C. Beisel, Jr., with battleship Missouri.

RETREATING FEDERALS BURN NUEVO LAREDO FIGHT U. S. PATROL

LAREDO, Tex., April 24. — Upon evacuation of Nuevo Laredo this afternoon, the Mexican federals applied the torch to the municipal building, custom house, postoffice, United States consulate and several other buildings, and the town is a mass of flames. The municipal building was dynamited and then fired. Later the United States patrol was fired on by Mexican federals just west of the town on the river banks and a sharp fight followed, the Mexicans being driven back.

CROWDS FLOCK TO ARMORIES TO SEE MILITIA IN DRILL

Mothers and Sweethearts Among the Spectators at Companies B and M Last Night

DON CAMERON AMONG ENLISTED

Former Baseball Player Joins Fowler's Company; Get Two Former Regular Army Men

With war spirit manifesting itself in many ways the members of Companies M and B of the Wisconsin National guard last night went through preliminary inspection drill.

Both armories were jammed with spectators and in the crowds were mothers and sweethearts. The scenes at both armories had the earmarks of a final assembly and the men went through the "stunts" with seriousness which precedes a call to active field service.

Many appeared at both armories to enlist and the local companies will have no trouble in recruiting their ful war strength if necessary, declare both captains.

"If I had had the cream of the county to choose from I couldn't have picked out eight better men than were enlisted last night in Company M."

This was the declaration this morning of Captain F. H. Fowler.

Several appeared at M company to enlist and among these are two former "regulars" and Don Cameron, baseball player and former third baseman in the Pacific Coast league.

Mossey a Find

Harry Mossey, Bangor, Wis., is one of the former regulars deemed a great find by Captain Fowler. Mossey served three years in the regular army and last month was mus-

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TO MAKE MILITIA REGULARS BY LAW IS EFFECT OF BILL

Measure Will Soon Reach President Providing New Oath Pledging World-wide Service

IT DODGES THE CONSTITUTION

Failure of Dick Law May Be Overcome by Using Term "Volunteer" for "Militia"

WASHINGTON, April 24.—A bill reorganizing the militia and placing it directly under the authority of the president and war department of the United States has passed congress and has gone to the president for his signature. The essential features of the bill are as follows:

The oath of enlistment enlarged to include a pledge of service as a volunteer in or out of the country at any time in case of war.

Requirement that to be accepted regiment's quota of enlisted men be in proportion to number of officers, as per specifications of war department for regulars.

Conferring additional supervision over militia in times of peace upon the war department.

As a large majority of the full quota of militia companies of the National guard is already filled with men enlisted under the old form of oath, the law will not be fully operative at present, but it will take care of new enlistments and render all militiamen enlisted after its passage subject at any time to a call for federal service at home or abroad.

Adj. Gen. Orlando Holway, in an interview to day, explained the method of entering the national service

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ARMY STARTS TODAY FROM GALVESTON TO AID BADGER'S MARINES

GALVESTON, Tex., April 24.—The movement of the regular army of the United States into Mexico began early today when the forces mobilized here proceeded to embark on transports for Vera Cruz. The vessels sail as fast as loaded, and by daylight tomorrow morning a formidable force will be on its way to the aid of Admiral Badger's marines.

The forces to embark are: The Fifth infantry brigade, Sixth cavalry, Fourth field artillery and a battalion of engineers.

Four transports will convey all but the cavalry, which will be taken on two vessels chartered by the government, upon which stalls for horses are being rigged this afternoon.

Shortly before six o'clock the Twenty-eighth infantry, the first to leave camp at Fort Crockett, swung on board the transport Kilpatrick. From that time on, for several hours there was a never ending stream of khaki clad soldiers streaming up the gangways to quarters below decks. Huge bonfires blazed in the camp, where the troops burned debris and equipment that could not be taken along, and when the Twenty-eighth deployed onto the sea wall boulevard, the band played the traditional "The Girl I Left Behind Me."

The Nineteenth followed, then the Fourth and Seventh, with Company R, Engineers, the last to move.

The Fifth brigade embarked as follows:

Twenty-eighth infantry on McClellan; Seventh on Kilpatrick; Nineteenth on Sumner; Fourth on the Meade. The Kilpatrick is brigade headquarters and also division headquarters for the embarkation, carrying Funston and other high officers. The destroyers Reid, Flusser and Preston will accompany the transports. All will be out of this port by dark, say the officers, probably sailing about four o'clock.

More Troops to Border

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Almost deluged with messages demanding more troops along the border, it was authoritatively reported this afternoon that the war department was preparing to concentrate more forces there. No word confirmatory of the report could be obtained, the war department having adopted a fixed policy not to discuss any army movements until they are actually under way.

ALL AMERICAN CONSULS ORDERED OUT OF MEXICO

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Abandonment of all American consulates in addition to the embassy in Mexico City was directed today by the state department. French consuls will take charge of United States business and papers, except in a few places where France is not represented. The Brazilian government will take charge for this government in Mexico City and Vera Cruz, and the Chilean consul at Acapulco. The British government will take charge at Frontera, La Paz, Ensenada and Manzanillo, where there are no French consuls. Secretary Bryan authorized all consuls and their staffs to leave Mexico at any time in their own judgment. Several consuls are expected to remain in Mexico.

FLETCHER STARTS TRAIN WEST TO MEET CHARGE

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Admiral Fletcher reported to the navy department today that a train was starting from Vera Cruz for Mexico City to meet Charge O'Shaughnessy. Secretary Daniels said he did not know whether O'Shaughnessy would remain in Vera Cruz or would board one of the American vessels there.

Daniels signed orders confirming commands given by Admiral Badger ordering the first torpedo division now at Galveston to escort the army transport to Vera Cruz. The Louisiana has been directed to leave Vera Cruz, meet the transports at sea and the convoy.

The Cassin and Cummings will escort the chartered steamer Morro Castle which sailed from Philadelphia for Vera Cruz yesterday from Hampton Roads to Mexico.

Dead in yesterday's fight at Vera Cruz:
Louis Frank Boswell, chief gunner's mate on Michigan, Coulterville, Ill.
Private Randolph Summerlin, of marine corps of the Vermont, Willacoochee, Ga.
D. J. Lane,
E. H. Frolichstein, ordinary seaman.
E. C. Fisher, ordinary seaman.

TO OUR READERS

The Tribune has arranged to continue the night bulletin service of the United Press, and to switch onto the leased wire in case of important developments. The public is invited to visit this office for news at all hours, and inquiries by telephone will be given as prompt attention as the congestion of calls will permit.

ROCKEFELLER MINES SAFE

NEW YORK, April 24.—At the office of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., who is credited with controlling the coal and mining situation in Colorado, it was declared today that neither the Empire or Southwestern mines, where much of the trouble has been centered, are Rockefeller properties. It was further stated that dispatches from Rockefeler agents in the troubled region say that so far none of his property has been attacked.



Millinery Section

$5.00 Hat Sale

Every accepted style type of the new Spring Hats is to be found in our Millinery department.

High Side and Flare Turbans, Watteau and other Bandeau Hats. The new Priscilla Pokes and Georgette Bonnets, demure and charming for the girl in her teens.

Special line of stylish, becoming modes for middle-aged ladies. New Street and Dress models.

All to be found in our special for tomorrow's sale. Black Hats as well as Colored Hats. Very unusual values at **$5.00**

Third Floor **Rug Section** *Take Elevator*

We can make you a Rug any size and in shape to fit your Tapestry Carpets, with border to match, at per yard **$1.00**

Velvet Carpet with border to match, at per yard, **$1.00 and** **$1.25**

Wilton Velvet and Wilton Carpets with borders to match, at per yard, **$1.50 and**..... **$1.75**

Stair Carpets and Hall Runners, 27 and 36 inch wide.

That Anglo-Persian Rug on our sidewalk has been walked over at least 45,000 times in the past 5 weeks and the pile still stands up and the colors are still fresh. You can get any size Anglo-Persian in our Rug Section.

White Goods Section

Splendid new weaves for Graduation and Summer Dresses. Fancy and novelty weaves in finest Crepe, Rice Cloth, Voile, Swiss, Marquisette and Chiffon weaves.

Several hundred pieces of very latest White Goods, excellent patterns, at **25c, 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c, 85c** and up per yard.

Exquisite Wash Fabrics—Never was there bolder colorings used, yet when combined with the softer shades they do not jar the most refined taste.

40 and 45 inch Ratines, smooth and rough finish, in very pretty color combinations, plain, with stripes, checks and plaids to match.

Sheer Lisses, Tissues, Organdies, Crepes, Plain, Embroidered and printed, at prices that will suit you.

Silk Section

The two scarce fabrics, Moire and Chiffon Taffetas. An early call will secure them for you, for they do not stay long these days.

36 inch Moires at per yard..... **$2.25 and $2.50**

36 inch Chiffon Taffeta, at per yard ..... **$1.75 and $2.50**

Barron's



Handkerchief Section

An attractive bargain here Saturday morning.

Broken lots of Women's pure linen Handkerchiefs, hand worked initials. Look for yours. These are lines we have been selling at 25c each and will discontinue. Saturday reduced to

19c ea.

Basement Attraction

We have Jardiniers, Flower Pots and Hanging Baskets.

We have a large line of Baskets, Auto Baskets, Lunch Baskets, Clothes Baskets and Hampers.

If you are in want of a Suit Case or Traveling Bag, we have a large line of them from **$2.00 to $18** each.

We have Crepe Paper, Paper Napkins and Shelf Paper.

We have Fish Bowls at **25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00** each.

Glass Baskets at **75c** each.

Glass Candle Sticks at **25c, 50c and 75c** each.

Black Enamel Tea Pots at **50c, 65c and 75c.**

Saturday

at 9 A. M. sharp

A Clearing Sale of

Spring Suits

100 Women's and Misses' Suits



No Two Alike.

Every one a this season's latest model. The line is large enough to show every new color and black. We have done the largest Suit business of our career, because we have given better values than ever before. Are you very small, or very large? Be not discouraged, for we can fit you here Saturday morning and at a big saving in prices. Suits reduced to these prices:

$11.50 $16.50 $23.50



Health and Beauty

Follow the Correct Fitting of a GOSSARD CORSET

Health because Gossard corsets give correct abdominal support, a natural waist and a back line true to nature.

Beauty follows, because the foundation of Beauty is perfect health. Our observations convince us that the women who wear Gossard Corsets enjoy good health.

The models shown above are but two of the distinguished family of original Gossard front-lacing corsets. Both are sold by us and are worn by the most particular women.

Regardless of the price you pay for any Gossard Corset, you are assured of complete wearing satisfaction. Added to this you may have health and beauty. We suggest a fitting today.

Various models to choose from, at $2.00, $3.50, $5.00 and up.

Corset Section—Second Floor

Very Special



10 styles of newest summer Waists, at **$1.00** each. 10 pretty styles of Women's Lingerie Waists — made out of Voiles, Crepes and Fancy Rice Cloths — Waists you'd think cheap at $1.50, here Saturday at each **$1.00**

Linen Section

Towels. Every one pure linen. Huck size 17x32, a very heavy thread, red borders or plain white hemmed, at each **20c**

Huck, sizes 18x34, 19x36, hemstitch and plain hem, an exceptionally fine thread, at each **25c**

Huck, sizes 18x36, 19x38, hemstitch and plain hem, at each **30c**

Huck, sizes up to 19x38. The 17x32 is a very heavy close woven towel that will give a maximum of wear. Red, blue, white, plain hem and hemstitched, at each **35c**

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Barron's

THE TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

BILL'S SWEETHEART

BY IZOLA FORRESTER

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"It wouldn't be so bad if she were anything but a school teacher. Do you honestly like school teachers, Billie, dear?"

Mrs. Barrie glanced up from the little desk in the south end of the morning room. Dr. Chapin read his mail always over his breakfast, and liked the latter served at the open window looking out to sea, on het small table.

"Of course, we're not obliged to take her, but Roxana is so explicit. She just makes it seem like a duty, don't you know, Billie? And there's not another place where she could live on the whole strip excepting Captain Donnelly's, and I wouldn't let her go there if she's a friend of Roxy's, of course. I don't think she'll be much bother, do you, Billie?"

"How old is she?" asked the doctor, cheerfully. "You must strike a happy medium, Sally. If she's too young, she'll keep us all busy amusing her, and if she's too old, she'll try to amuse us."

"Roxy doesn't say. We're to meet the 5:02 train down from Boston Saturday at Asconsett, and she's going to wear a pongee coat with black satin buttons. You'll remember, Bill, won't you, because you'll have to meet her."

"What's her name, did you say?"

"I haven't told you yet. It's, let's see where it is—oh, yes, it's Bess Broderick."

"Great Scott!" Dr. Chapin lifted his head and stared in absolute panic at the plump, placid figure down by the desk. "Does she know I'm here?"

"Why, Billy, dear, how very funny you look? You act scared. Do you know her?"

The doctor hesitated. He had not been a doctor very long. Two years back of that lay his interne days, and back of that college. He had not seen Bess since the college days, not since they both went to the old university in Wisconsin. It flashed back now, the whole winter and spring of courting Bess. The little snug bungalow and crescent of sand and wide sweep of sea and sky vanished. In their stead there was Bess brown eyed and laughing, the old class days, and the long tramps and picnics up along the lake shore. Then there had been the night when he had taken her home and tried to kiss her. She had been as gay and fun loving as any of the girls, but out there on the rose covered porch of the cottage, with his sweater around her shoulders, she had told him something, grave and sweet as a girl could be.

"You see, Billie, it's this way. I've never kissed a man, not really. You don't count the little snatched ones at parties, you know. I mean like this, if I were to lift my face and really, truly let you kiss me right bang on the lips. And maybe kiss back, I don't know. I've been saving that for one who will be the one, you understand, don't you, Billie, and—and I don't think that's you."

He had been leaving the following day, and he asked her to write to him. All through his days in the hospital she had written cheery, chummy letters, but no sweethearting. She told him if he started it, the letters would stop because he wasn't the right one. He had grown to hate that other fellow who stood in his way, the right one. And finally he had taken the plunge and had written her one long appeal, and she had not answered the letter. She might at least have done that, he thought.

"I think I'll run up to Boston for a couple of weeks, Sallie," began the doctor. "I did know Miss Broderick out west at college, but that was Wisconsin, and this is Cape Cod."

"Did you flirt with her, Billie?" This reproachfully. The doctor had the reputation of being a sober minded, promising young citizen and member of society up around Boston, but Sallie preserved a sisterly recollection of the days out at college before the exodus down east after their grandfather's death.

"I," he hesitated and smiled grimly. "Sallie, be good. I don't think it would add to Miss Broderick's vacation pleasure to find me here at all. She probably doesn't even know that I am your brother."

"But you can't go away and leave me alone here with only Delia and the baby. You promised to stay for two months while Tom was gone to the coast, and you have to, Billie. Don't be a goose. Just be nice to the girl and courteous, that's all. A woman always accepts a situation tactfully."

The doctor remained against his will and judgment. Saturday he drove down to Asconsett and waited for the down train that trailed along the cape. At least, he told himself, he would be no captive in her train of triumph. Not in any way would he show her he remembered the heartache of the old days.

She did not recognize him, not at first. The few passengers straggled away from the platform into the waiting station hacks and carryalls, and left her standing.

"Miss Broderick, isn't it?" asked Billie cordially, but with dignity. And Bess looked up in his face with one startled flash of surprised delight.

"Why, Billy Chapin, you old dear," she exclaimed, "I thought sure you'd run away when you found I was coming down."

"Then you knew I was here?"

"Roxy told me, but I couldn't give up the trip just for fear you might get unexpected heart throbs."

Billie started to speak, halted, looked down at her hazel eyes. They had the same little gold sparkle in them that he remembered when the light struck them right, just as her brown hair held the sunlight sheen. He helped her into his lightweight cart, and turned the pony's head along the shore road. The situation required much restraint and diplomacy.

"I'm glad you've made a success, Billie," she was saying. "Do you specialize in anything particular?"

"Anything but hearts,' said Billie. "The sea view is beautiful from this hill, isn't it?"

"It's better farther on, by moonlight."

She turned and looked at him with troubled eyes.

"Billie, what is it? You used to be so earnest and strong, somehow, and now you seem cynical."

"You might at least have answered the letter, even if it was just a cub's effusion. It was fearfully sincere."

Bess frowned. "I haven't the least idea what you're talking about."

"The last letter I ever wrote to you."

"I haven't heard from you in over two years; not since you wrote of leaving the hospital."

"It was after that,' said Billie gloomily. "I sent it to the dear old place on the shore where you always stayed."

"Billie!" Her little gloved hand reached over and gripped his—the left one nearest her. Billie lost control of the reins, but the pony jogged along just the same. "I never got it at all. Couldn't you remember what was in it and tell it to me now, please Billie?"

Mrs. Barrie waited dinner patiently, then anxiously; but it was past the sunset hour when the cart came slowly up to the low, broad veranda and Billie helped the little school teacher out. Even from a sister's standpoint she could see that Bill's face fairly shone with an inner radiance.

"Sallie," he said, "Sallie, it's all over. Bess and I are engaged. Don't ask any questions until after dinner, because we're starved. God bless Cousin Roxy."

Catering to All.

A Boston merchant tells of an old grocer in Massachusetts who was about as "slick" an article as one would care to meet.

"One day," says the Bostonian, "I stopped before his shop and looked curiously at a long line of barrels of apples, some marked with an 'A,' some marked with a 'Z.'

"'What is the meaning of these markings?' I asked. 'The barrels seem to contain the same kind of apples.'

"'They are the same kind, son,' the old gentleman replied, 'but some customers want a barrel opened at the top and some at the bottom.'"—New York Times.

This is the time of year when all a man has to do is pay rent.

Daddy's Bedtime Story—

How the Keeper Saved the Fawn's Life.



Put Her Head on the Keeper's Shoulder.

JACK and Evelyn sometimes went on trips to the zoo with daddy, but they hadn't been there for ever so long. So when daddy came home they spoke about it.

"I know," said daddy, "we haven't been for a long, long time, that's very true, but we'll surely go soon.

"First, though, I must tell you the story I heard of one of the deers in the zoo.

"This mother deer had a beautiful young fawn, and, oh, she was so proud of her beautiful child! She gave the fawn all the attention that any devoted mother deer could.

"One day, alas, the fawn, who was somewhat delicate, caught a terrific cold. The mother deer was frightened, and by evening the fawn's cough was dreadful. Now, the keeper had fed all the animals, and they had gone to bed for the night. But the deer cried so piteously that the good, kind keeper whose own home was near by, knew that something was the matter.

"When he reached the little home of the mother deer and her beautiful fawn he found the mother deer leaning her head sadly against the wire door and the fawn had her head by her mother's side.

"'Oh, my child, my beautiful child, is ill! She has such a dreadful cold and I'm afraid she'll die! Oh, what can you do for her?' wailed the deer.

"The keeper understood perfectly, and he took a big warm rug and put it right over the fawn. Then he went back to his home and heated some milk which he came back with and fed slowly to the deer.

"The keeper sat up all night with the fawn, giving her warm milk and keeping her well covered. She did look so sick, and her big eyes looked so pleading! They seemed to say:

"'Oh, Mr. Keeper, save me so I won't have to leave my mother!'

"And as the keeper began to soothe the fawn the mother deer looked on and seemed so relieved.

"In the morning the fawn's cold was ever so much better. It had almost entirely disappeared, and by afternoon, when the fawn had been in the sun all the morning, she was really quite herself again.

"Once more her big eyes looked happy, and the mother deer, when the keeper came to bring them their supper that night, put her head on the keeper's shoulder and cried—a very different cry from the night before. She cried for joy because her lovely fawn was alive and well, and she cried on the keeper's shoulder because she knew the keeper had saved her beautiful child's life."

Various Forms Of Headache

"It is necessary in order to treat headaches properly to understand the causes which produce the affection" says Dr. J. W. Ray of Blockton, Ala. Continuing, he says: "Physicians cannot even begin the treatment of a disease without knowing what causes give rise to it, and we must remember that headache is to be treated according to the same rule. We must not only be particular to give a remedy intended to counteract the cause which produces the headache, but we must also give a remedy to relieve the pain until the cause of the trouble has been removed. To answer this purpose Anti-kamnia Tablets will be found a most convenient and satisfactory remedy. One tablet every one to three hours gives comfort and rest in the most severe cases of headache, neuralgia and particularly the headaches of women."

When we have a patient subject to regular attacks of sick headache, we should caution him to keep his bowels regular, for which nothing is better than "Actoids", and when he feels the least sign of an oncoming attack, he should take two A-K Tablets. Such patients should always be instructed to carry a few Anti-kamnia Tablets, so as to have them ready for instant use. These tablets are prompt in action, and can be depended on to produce relief in a very few minutes. Ask for A-K Tablets.

Anti-kamnia Tablets can be obtained at all druggists and so can A-K Salve, so well known for Eczema and skin diseases.

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Prof. Carlo Sperati, Director

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EXPECT THE CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

Local Recruiting Station Regulars Look for Orders to Enlist Men for War

Scores of La Crosse boys with an over-abundance of patriotism are today casting longing eyes at the regular army and anticipating donning of the khaki. The sole question that seems to be troubling the would be "boys in blue" is their speedy arrival at the front.

Expect the Call

Since morning more than forty men seeking to enlist in the volunteer service have sought information at the army recruiting station. No volunteers have as yet been called for but the La Crosse recruiting officers are daily expecting word to enlist volunteers from the adjutant general at Washington.

Two applications were made to join the regulars this morning but both men failed to pass the physical examination owing to defective eye sight. In most cases men prefer to join the volunteers, as they would then be mustered out at the close of active service.

All that is necessary to join the first papers if not American born, and a willingness to spend three years in active service and four years in the reserve service of the army. Recruiting Officers Joseph Evans and Bernard Egan are patiently waiting at the recruiting station in the Stavrum and Hulberg building to take on all comers who can qualify. The recruiting officers predict speedy service for the regulars.

Go to Snelling

Recruits enlisting at the La Crosse sub station will be forwarded to Fort Snelling, Minneapolis, the head recruiting station for this district. From the Minneapolis recruiting station the newly enlisted are sent to St. Louis once a week.

At St. Louis the recruits are allotted to various regiments in need of men to reach the full war strength. At the present time all recruits at St. Louis are being assigned to regiments which are in line for active service in Mexico.

regular army is a good physique.

While the navy is opening the warfare at Mexico few men are seeking information on navy enlistments, preferring the army. Terms of navy enlistment are four years.

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"So?"

"Why, that man's children actually ask him for advice." — Washington Herald.

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MARCH Daily Average **7,568**

1—Sunday		16—Mon	7,558
2—Mon	7,552	17—Tues	7,569
3—Tues	7,567	18—Wed	7,577
4—Wed	7,584	19—Thur	7,563
5—Thurs	7,584	20—Fri	7,584
6—Fri	7,571	21—Sat	7,556
7—Sat	7,559	22—Sunday	
8—Sunday		23—Mon	7,549
9—Mon	7,618	24—Tues	7,553
10—Tues	7,592	25—Wed	7,564
11—Wed	7,563	26—Thur	7,569
12—Thur	7,547	27—Fri	7,587
13—Fri	7,558	28—Sat	7,572
14—Sat	7,564	29—Sunday	
15—Sunday		30—Mon	7,548
		31—Tues	7,562

Totals 196,770

Average 7,568

Frank H. Burgess

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of April, 1914.
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Circulate every edition as widely as possible and with greatest dispatch. Distribute all extras free of charge until further orders.

The foregoing orders issued by the publishers of The Tribune Sunday night, carried out to the letter, have enabled this paper to render its reading public a service equalled nowhere in cities of this class and equalling that rendered in cities of the first class.

Every accomplished fact has been given to the public with up-to-the-minute promptitude and unfailing accuracy, and it is a remarkable fact that every edition issued from this office has given the first story of the latest developments to be published in this field. Last night, for the first time, our nearest competitor carried an important story which did not appear in The Tribune—the purported advance of Villa upon El Paso at the head of 12,000 men. The distinguishing fact about this story was that IT WAS ABSOLUTELY UNTRUE. Villa arrived at Jaurez this morning with fifteen men and said he did not want war. The swiftness with which extras were put in circulation as each important development "broke" in news form was due to the accuracy with which, from the logic of situations, coming events were anticipated and prepared for in The Tribune office.

The incomparable efficiency of the United Press' leased wire service and the alertness of the Central Press association cut service must be mentioned among the facilities which have enabled us to render our citizens this extraordinary service.

In the local field The Tribune has achieved equal success, having been first to publish every phase of facts, developments, method and program relating to the militia of La Crosse and other cities furnishing the First Battalion of the Third regiment, and full information about the complete list of officers and privates from this vicinity in the regular army and the navy.

Realizing that the expense to which this paper has gone runs into the hundreds of dollars, many people have asked us "what we get out of it." The answer is simple. As against the policy of getting out as cheaply as possible and making a few dollars daily on mail editions marked "Extra," we have adopted the broader view that promptest, most complete and wide-spread service is The Tribune's duty for the present and greatest asset for the future.

Our efforts have indeed been appreciated. Scores of new subscribers have been attracted to The Tribune. For five days a constant assemblage, varying from a dozen to scores and at times hundreds of people, have watched the bulletins in The Tribune's window. An idea of the volume of the crowds may be secured from the fact that, in addition to the hundreds who paused in the crowd to read the bulletins and passed on, fifteen hundred invididuals actually entered The Tribune office between five and nine o'clock of Tuesday evening. This was checked by the fact that 1,500 extras were given out over the counter during these hours. The demand for the extra necessitated two additional press runs and sent the register up to 4,600 copies. Two earlier extras reached 1,000, which plus the regular 4 o'clock edition of 7,692 copies, made a total of 13,392 Tribunes for the day. During the four days from Monday to Thursday inclusive the press run has averaged 10,000 copies daily. In this appreciation of our efforts we find remuneration above and beyond petty considerations of economy or profit.

AMMONS EXPECTED PLOT

CHICAGO, April 24.—"Well I'm not surprised." declared Gov. Ammons of Colorado upon his arrival here yesterday afternoon, when informed by the United Press of a report from Denver that efforts will be made to impeach him because of the industrial warfare at Ludlow.

"Both sides are so bitter that I'm not at all surprised, though it is the first I've heard of it," said Ammons. "I am hurrying back to Colorado to make a thorough investigation and I want it understood that I'm going to restore that country to order."

Gov. Ammons, with Attorney General Fred Farrar, is returning from Washington, where he appeared before the public lands committee.

HOLD POLICE DOG TRIALS

SCRANTON, Pa., April 24.—The feature of the Anthracite Kennel Association of America's dog show which opened here today was to be the series of police dogs' trials. For the best German police dogs shown a handsome silver cup is offered by the Scranton police force and valued at $150.

Other prizes in other classes will be money prizes, loving cups, vases, trays, inkstands and jewelry. The show will continue three days.

ARMY SEES LONG WAR

HOUSTON, Texas, April 24.—Army officers at Texas City are pessimistic over the Carranza declaration and believe it portends a long and hard campaign in Mexico. Recruits are being rushed to Texas City to fill regiments to war strength.

Except for politics satan would lose his grip on some men.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

Do It Now

Oh, listen, I pray,
To the scientist's tune.
A fly swatted now
Saves 1,675,483
In June.
Perhaps it is true
And perhaps it's no lie,
That a fly swatted now
Saves 4,878,643,983
In July.
But I've hunted all day
And as yet I have not
Found a fly 'round the place
To swat.
They carry the germs
And they carry bacilli,
And it is a good plan
To knock 'em silly.
If someone will please go
And find me a fly
I'll hasten the pest
To the sweet bye and bye.
But unless I can find one to swat
Pretty soon,
I cannot save 1,675,483.
In June.

A Clear Windshield

A doctor living in a rainy climate, whose calls took him out often in wet weather, undertook the problem of maintaining clear vision through the windshield of his automobile regardless of rain; and he succeeded in making a prescription that would do the work.

The prescription calls for one ounce of water, two ounces of glycerine and one dram of salt. This is poured on a piece of gauze and then wiped over the glass, care being taken to have all the strokes downward. The effect of the treatment is to prevent raindrops from clinging to the glass.

Star Gazing

It is often that Representative Mann, of Illinois, is stopped in debate; but Representative Fowler, from Mann's own state, sewed up the doughty leader of the republicans the other day.

A bill relating to the importation of convict-made goods was under consideration and the discussion had taken a wide range and had reached the foreign child-labor phase. After a time Mann offered an amendment.

Fowler rose and told a story of a man who was peddling telescopes in the old days in Illinois. He stopped at a farmhouse. The farmer had never seen a telescope and was much interested. The peddler explained the workings of the telescope and told him to look at the moon with it.

The farmer adjusted it and looked at the moon. He walked round the yard with the telescope glued to his eye, gazing at the sky, fell into a cistern and was drowned.

At the funeral the children were overcome with grief, but the widow retained her composure.

One of the girls said:

"Ma, don't you think that was an awful way for pa to die?"

"I don't see that it makes much difference," the widow replied. "If your father had been looking at things closer to home he would be alive now."

"That is very smart!" was all Mann could think of in retort.

The Elusive Jeopard

An applicant for a place as teacher in one of the colored schools at Louisville was being examined touching his fitness for the position. He was a small, dapper, yellow person, wearing gold spectacles, a long black coat and an abiding air of great dignity.

The examination was in part oral and syntax had been reached.

"Whath is your definition of the would 'jeopardized?'" asked the examiner.

The candidate's brow wrinkled.

"Which?" he inquired.

"What do you understand the word 'jeopardized' to mean?"

For just one short half minute he hesitated. Then he answered sonorously:

"In reply to yo' question I would state that that would refer to any act committed by a jeopard."

The President's Privilege

President Wilson has had his nails manicured by a professional manicure just once in his life. That once was after he was elected president and before he was inaugurated.

He had some time in New York and decided to use it in a visit to a manicure. A fluffy blond person officiated with the orange stick and pumice.

She took the hand of the future president, began operations and began conversation at the same time.

"Where do you live?" she asked archly.

"In Princeton, New Jersey," Mr. Wilson replied.

"Oh," she said ecstatically, "what a privilege! Have you ever seen the house in which Mr. Cleveland lived?"

Ready Wrapped

A secretary for a Massachusetts congressman had never seen a cotton seed. A few days ago he happened to be in the office of a representative from the south and saw several small sacks on the floor.

"What are those?" he asked.

'Cotton seed furnished by the department of agriculture for distribution down our way," the southerner explained.

A sack was opened and the Yankee examined the cotton seed with great interest. He picked up some and observed the lint that clings closely to the seed. He pulled at this, but was not successful in removing any of the lint.

"My!" he said. "The department certainly treats you fellows fine. Just think of wrapping up each seed so carefully in cotton! How do they do that?"

RACE MEETING OPENS.

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 24.—With some of the best horses in the country stabled here, the Kentucky Racing association today opened its spring race meet which will continue twelve days.

Relief For the Kidneys

Improper kidney action causes more sickness, suffering and serious complications than any other organ. The kidneys are two large glands situated near the middle of the back and their function is to purify every ounce of blood in the body, and to do this they must be in a healthy condition. If they become inflamed, congested or otherwise weakened in their action, the poison remains in the blood, and the whole system becomes impregnated. The general symptoms are backache, loss of appetite, headache, torpid liver, constipation, indigestion, nervousness, drowsiness, sleeplessness, skin troubles, malaria, etc. If you have any of these symptoms, you should at once commence taking Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Remedy, which for 37 years has been a standard remedy for the kidneys and liver, and today it stands without a rival in healing with certainty the frail tubular structures constituting these important organs. It is a sure antidote to poisons formed in the human body, owing to incapable action of the kidneys and liver, eliminating through the kidneys, bowels and skin all morbid and unhealthy accumulations from the system. It will help you from the very first dose. At all druggists in 50c and $1.00 sizes. Free sample and valuable information if you write, Warner Safe Remedies Co., Dept. 422, Rochester, N. Y.



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With the first application of bold-sulphur cream the angry itching attending any eczema eruption ceases and its remarkable healing powers begin. Sulphur, says a renowned dermatologist, just common bold-sulphur, made into a thick cream will soothe and heal the skin when irritated and broken out with Eczema or any form of eruption. The moment it is applied all itching ceases and after two or three applications the Eczema disappears, leaving the skin clear and smooth.

He tells Eczema sufferers to get from any good pharmacy an ounce of bold-sulphur cream and apply it to the irritated, inflamed skin, the same as you would any cold cream.

For many years this soothing, healing sulphur has occupied a secure position in the treatment of cutaneous affections by reason of its parasite-destroying property. It is not only parasiticidal, but also antipruritic, antiseptic and remarkably healing in all irritable and inflammatory conditions of the skin. While not always establishing a permanent cure it never fails to instantly subdue the irritation and heal the Eczema right up and it is often years later before any eruption again appears on the skin.



By HAROLD MACGRATH

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In her room, later, she wrote two letters. The one to Arthur covered several pages; the other consisted of a single line. She went down to the office, mailed Arthur's letter and left the note in Warrington's key-box. It was not an intentionally cruel letter she had written to the man in America; but if she had striven toward that effect she could not have achieved it more successfully. She cried out against the way he had treated his brother, the false pride that had hidden all knowledge of him from her. Where were the charity and mercy of which he had so often preached? Pages of burning reproaches which seared the soul of the man who read them. She did not confide the state of her heart. It was not necessary. The arraignment of the one and the defense of the other were sufficiently illuminating.

Soundly the happy sleep. She did not hear the removal of Warrington's luggage at midnight, for it was stealthily done. Neither did she hear the fretful mutter of the bird as his master disturbed his slumbers. Nothing warned her that he intended to spend the night on board; that, having paid his bill early in the evening, her note might have lain in the key-box until the crack of doom, so far as he was likely to know of its existence. No angel of pity whispered to her, Awake! No dream-magic people tell about drew for her the picture of the man she loved, pacing up and down the cramped deck of the packet-boat, fighting a battle compared to which that of the afternoon was play. Elsa slept on, dreamless.

When she awoke in the morning she ran to the mirror: all this fresh beauty she was going to give to him, without condition, without reservation, absolutely: as Aspasia might have rendered her charms to Pericles. She dressed quickly, singing lowly. Fate makes us the happiest when she is about to crush us.

Usually she had her breakfast served in the room, but this morning she was determined to go downstairs. She was excited; she brimmed with exuberance; she wanted Romance to begin at once.

"Good morning," she greeted the consul-general, who was breakfasting alone.

"Well, you're an early bird!" he replied. "Elsa you are certainly beautiful."

"Honestly?" with real eagerness.

"Honestly. And how you have gone all these years without marrying a grand duke, is something I can't figure out."

"Perhaps I have been waiting for the man. There was no real hurry."

"Lucky chap, when you find him. By the way, our romantic Parrot & Co. have gone."

"Gone?" Elsa stared at him.

"Yes. Sailed for Saigon at dawn."

"Saigon," she repeated.

"And I am rather glad to see him go. I was afraid he might interest you too much. You'll deny it, but you'll never outgrow the fairy-story age."

"Saigon."

"Good heavens, Elsa, what is the matter?"

"No, no! Don't touch me. I'm not the fainting kind. Did you know last night that he was going?"

"Yes."

"I shall never forgive you."

"Why, Elsa . . . ."

"Never, never! You knew and did not tell me. Do you know who Paul Ellison is? He is the brother of the man at home. You knew he was stealing away and did not tell me."

She could not have made the truth any plainer to him. He sat back in his chair, stunned, voiceless.

"I am going to my room," she said. "Do not follow. Please act as if nothing had happened."

He saw her walk bravely the length of the dining room, out into the office. What a misfortune! Argument was out of the question. Elsa was not a child, to be reasoned with. She was a woman, and she had come to a woman's understanding of her heart. To place before her the true angles of the case, the heartless banishment from the world she knew, the regret which would be hers later, no matter how much she loved the man . . . He pushed back his chair, leaving his coffee untasted.

He possessed the deep understanding of the kindly heart, and this one thought was Elsa's future happiness. As men go, Warrington was an honorable man; honorable enough to run away rather than risk the danger of staying where Elsa was. He was no longer an outlaw; he could go and come as he would. But there was that misstep, not printed in shifting sand but upon the granite of recollection. Single, he could go back to his world and pick up the threads again, but not with a wife at his side. Oh, yes; they would be happy at first. Then Elsa would begin to miss the things she had so gloriously thrown away. The rift in the lute; the canker in the rose. They were equally well-born, well-bred; politeness would usurp affection's hold. Could he save her from the day when she would learn Romance had come from within? No. All he could do was to help her find the man.

He sent five cablegrams to Saigon, to the consulate, to the principal hotels: the most difficult composition he had ever attacked. But because he had forgotten to send the sixth to meet the packet-boat, against the possibility of Warrington changing his mind and not landing, his labor was thrown to the winds.

Meantime Elsa stopped at the office-desk. "I left a note for Mr. Warrington who has gone to Saigon. I see it in his key-box. Will you please return it to me?"

The clerk did not hesitate an instant. He gravely returned the note to her, marveling at her paleness. Elsa crushed the note in her hand and moved toward the stairs, wondering if she could reach her room before she broke down utterly. He had gone. He had gone without knowing that all he wanted in life was his for the taking. In her room she opened the note and through blurred vision read what she had so hapily inscribed the night before. "Paul—I love you. Come to me. Elsa." She had written it, unashamed.

She flung herself upon the bed, and there Martha found her.

"Elsa, child, what is it?" Martha cried, kneeling beside the bed. "Child what has happened?"

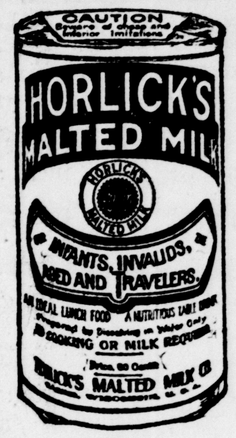
Elsa sat up, seized Martha by the shoulders and stared into the faithful eyes.

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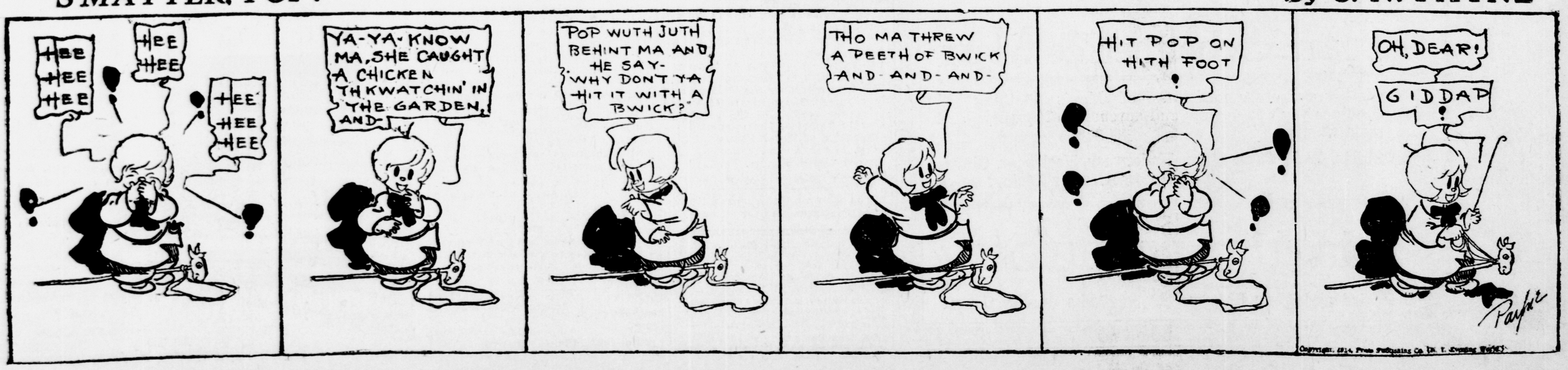
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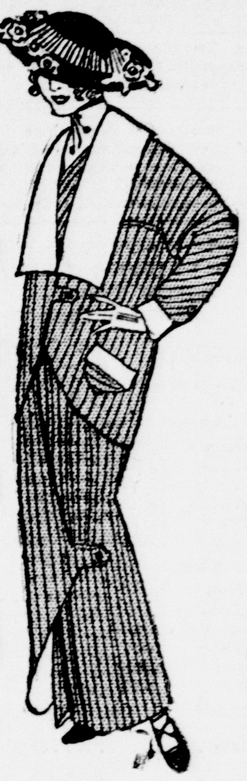
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INCIDENT SHOWS MEXICAN TRAITS

Careless Cruelty and Savage Fanaticism Part of Mexican Character

BY WILLIAM G. SHEPHERD.
(Staff correspondent of the United Press.)

MEXICO CITY, April 24.—Three Mexicans were hanging upon crosses, tied with ropes, in a small interior town, at Easter time, two years ago. It was the annual passion play of the village and the citizens were gathered around the crosses, lamenting over the dying Christ, who was personified by the man on the middle cross and cursing, in real round oaths the two thieves who were hung on either side.

The Mexicans, in the story of the two thieves, do not understand the moral of Christ offering redemption to the outcast pair at the last moment; instead, they believe that the thieves were placed beside Christ to make his death the more ignominious. And so, in all village passion plays, the thieves come in for a vast amount of execrations.

Strikes Bound Actor

In this particular instance the crowd, in its hatred of the thieves, got into a white hot revival heat against the thieves and one Mexican, a little drunker than the rest, suddenly shouted:

"Rateros, rateros," meaning "thieves, thieves," and dashed out from the crowd with a stick which he jabbed into the ribs of the innocent actor on the cross.

"Let me alone," shouted the tied up actor. "I am only acting. I am Juan Lopez and you know me well." His voice could not be heard above the clamor. The excited crowd only cheered on the man with the stick who gave the actor another thrust. The other thief began to shout for the police and the actor impersonating Christ joined in the declaration of the now injured "thief" that they were only acting.

"Thief" Faints

After another thrust or two the "thief" fainted and when the crowd saw that he really had been injured they quieted down enough so that the voice of the actor impersonating the Christ could be heard:

"Fools!" he shouted. "You have killed him. Let me down. I will not be the Christ any longer."

He was untied and the first thing he did when he got to the ground was to give a sound beating to the man with the stick. In the meantime the unconscious actor was taken down from the cross and removed to the village doctor's office. Two weeks in bed was the penalty he paid for his realistic acting.

There hasn't been an Easter passion play in this village for the past two years, for the simple reason that no one is willing to take the part of the thief.

Indian Childish

The childishness of the Mexican Indian—and there are 12,000,000 of him in Mexico, as against 4,000,000 real Mexicans—is illustrated at Easter time, by the manner in which he understands the Easter story.

His whole idea is not to mourn the death of Christ so much as to express his hatred of the men who brought it about. Good Friday, which in other lands is a day of mourning, is given over, by the Mexican, to showing his hatred of Judas.

Many thousands of tissue paper figures of Judas are sold in the cities and villages. These effigies are "lynched" in a village street, with great shouting and jeers. Then, for hours afterwards, men and boys throw sticks and stones at the effigies until they are torn to bits.

In the camps of all the soldiers Friday and Saturday before Easter, whether the soldiers were rebels or federals, it is safe to say that fighting was forgotten for a space of time, in order to give the Mexican an opportunity to give vent to hatred of Judas Iscariot.

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SHEPHERD SCORES A WORLD SCOOP

Mexico City United Press Correspondent Is Four Hours Ahead with Vera Cruz Story

The rarest of newspaper accomplishments, a world scoop is scored to the credit of William G. Shepherd, staff correspondent of the United Press at Mexico City, who at 3:10 p. m. (Eastern t ime) Tuesday, more than four hours ahead of any other newspapermen, gave to the world the news that American marines had landed in Vera Cruz, and that the opening fight of the second war with Mexico was on. The achievement, which resulted in the state department at Washington getting its first news of the battle of Vera Cruz from the United Press, will go down in newspaper history as one of the greatest "scoops" of the generation.

Used Private Code

The beat was made possible, despite the Mexican censorship which for all other newspaper men was air tight, by resort to a simple private code employed by Shepherd and the New York office of the United Press. An innocent appearing message, relative to the shipment of some photographic films, addressed by Shepherd to a private address in New York did the trick, and while the correspondents of the other news agencies and newspapers in Mexico City were fuming over their inability to get their dispatches past the censor, United Press papers the country over were printing the news of the landing and attacking Vera Cruz. During this time rival agencies were seeking to discredit the story.

Hours before any rival agency had succeeded in getting a word or information through a second code message came through from Shepherd giving the first details of the actual fighting and of the course pursued by Admiral Fletcher's landing party. This second message was later supplemented by a message from Vera Cruz directly, where for several hours previous the resident correspondent of the United Press and all other correspondents had been trying in vain to get a message past the censor.

Shepherd's scoop, closely following his almost equally important one of last week—when he made the exclusive announcement that Huerta was going deliberately to force the United States to intervene—was the fifth beat scored by the United Press in six days, the other three events being the sending of the battleship fleet to Tampico, the attempted assassination of Mayor Mitchel of New York, and President Wilson's now famous "Until 6 p. m. Sunday" ultimatum."

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WOOD NO LONGER CHIEF OF STAFF

Army Commander's Term Ends and He Heads Department of the East

WASHINGTON, April 24.—The man whom Roosevelt dubbed "bully good soldier" and whom he advanced because of that belief in his ability, even though he was not a West Pointer, stepped down from the highest active position in the army Wednesday. He was Major General Leonard Wood, until today chief of staff of the army. Wood's four year term as the chief executive officer for the army automatically expired Wednesday. He immediately becomes chief of the department of the east, with headquarters at Governor's Island, New York—the choicest post in the army. W. W. Witherspoon, former assistant chief of staff, succeeds to Wood's post.

Wood's rise in the army has been spectacular. He was first heard of as colonel of the famous Rough Riders. He was a physician and a army surgeon, a man of extraordinary personal magnetism. Roosevelt picked him as an ideal type of commander. Personally he and Wood were cronies. Wood rode horseback like a centaur; so did Roosevelt. The Rough Riders waxed famous after Santiago, and Wood also. He was called into the regular army and went ahead by leaps and bounds. His rapid promotion was the cause of considerable comment in the army, and was accentuated by the old fight between the "line and staff." As a surgeon in the army, Wood was of the staff faction. His rise to power made the West Pointers and others of the "line" faction peevish. But most of them were today willing to admit that the "physician" has done more for the army in his four years as chief of staff than any other one individual.

Not only did Wood have to buck opposition from the army, but he made powerful foes in congress by his firm stand in favor of abolition of a dozen or more army posts. The army posts have largely been distributed in the past as political favors rather than by strategic choice. It helped a congressman or a senator have a post in his district. But it resulted in the army being scattered all over the country. General Wood came out for mobilization of the standing forces into half a dozen—no more—concentration posts. He wanted to abandon isolated garrisons and keep the army near big centers.

Wood's greatest achievement as the head of the army was the development of the militia as an authorized auxiliary of the regular army. He has persistently boosted the "reserve enlistment" plan.

The retiring chief of staff is a fine figure of a man. He is over six feet in height, has the neck, arms and trunk of a gladiator, a face that is firm and purposeful, and makes a figure in the saddle like Mars himself. He walks with a slight limp, due to an injury.

Stimulant Required.

Ethel—Man proposes—

Marie—Yes, but he needs encouragement.—Boston Transcript.

DRAW JURY LIST FOR MAY TERM

The jury list for the May term of the circuit court was drawn as follows by the jury commissioners yesterday: I. Tippmann, 114 N. 5th; J. Bettin, 1701 Badger; Max L. Cimenski, 920 Main; L. A. Gilfilan, Bangor; E. H. Moss, Town of Burns; N. Amundson, 1503 Mississippi; William Gilster, Campbell; Frank M. Stetzer, Town of Farmington; J. R. Capper, West Salem; J. P. Christell, 205 South Seventh; Joseph Wanless, Town of Farmington; Ernest Wilkee, Bangor; H. C. Hart, 122 North Seventh; M. E. Brandt, Bangor; Charles Pavek, 819 Ferry; Frank Farnum, 523 Caledonia; R. Lowry, 1453 Wood; Carl Piska, Town of Burns; Alex Sheridan, 509 North Seventh; Joseph Otto, 1337 Charles; M. Johnson, City of Onalaska; George Egelberg, 144 South Sixth; W. Gullickson, Town of Hamilton; Henry Hanson, Onalaska; Louis Runckel, 147 South Seventh; Ole C. Olson, City of Onalaska; William Bummert, 1025 Zeisler; J. P. Salzer, 133 South Fourteenth; Charles Marking, 1408 Logan; Fritz Hoier, Town of Barre; Henry Wieger, 611 South Third; Olaf Snueggerad, Onalaska; David Wood, Bangor; Robert Paisley, Town of Farmington; H. Affeldt, 909 South Third and William John, Town of Greenfield.

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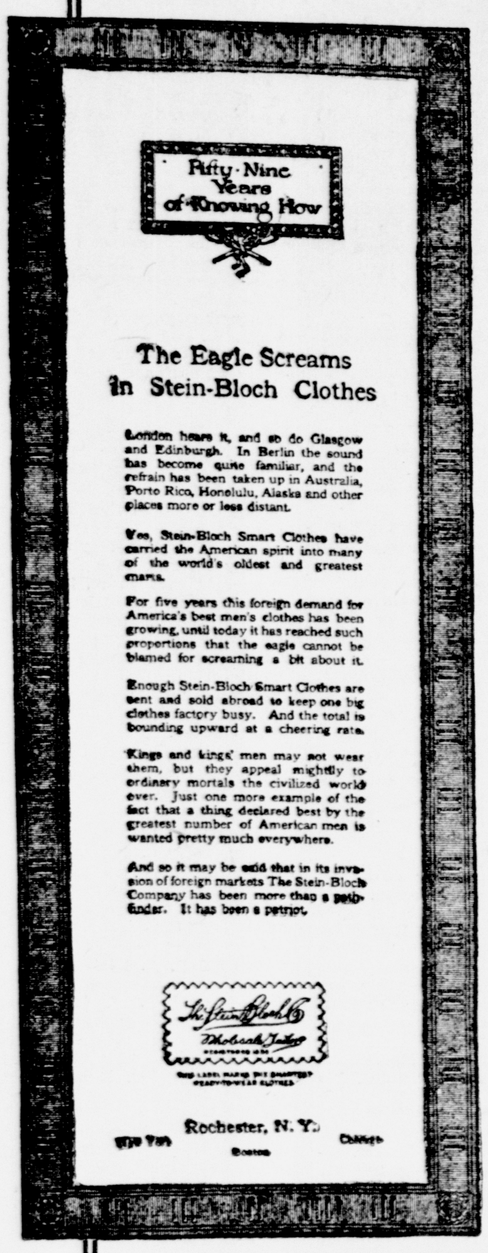
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Arthur Clamage, as Augustave Schott, mistaken by all for the king of Patagonia, is the cause of many funny situations, and keeps the audience screaming with laughter. Miss Virginia Stuart as the Blue Widow, is as clever as she is charming, her sweet voice making her an instantaneous favorite with the audience. Louise La Booth was well received in her several clever singing and dancing numbers. Al Zimmerman, as Major Sullivan, helped to keep the audience in a good humor.

One of the features of the show is a real Texas Tommy dance by the Barbary Coast Four, composed of Anna Davis, Florrie Germaine, Jess Weiss and Frank Cary.

A particularly well trained and well drilled chorus rounded out a very enjoyable performance.

Arthur Camage and his company will present "The Girl from Luxemburg" the first half of next week.

DISCUSS "BABY HYGIENE"

WASHINGTON, April 24.—"Baby hygiene," the care and bringing up of infants, and other similar matters were discussed today at the second day's sessions of the National congress of Mothers' and Parents' Teachers' association. One speaker asserted that lack of knowledge of baby hygiene, means the sacrificing of 300,000 babies annually.

It was pointed out that every neglected, wrongly treated child becomes a menace to the state; that neglected childhood exists wherever the principles of successful child nature and child treatment are not understood, and that the future of every nation rests on comprehensive, well considered provisions for the care of children. With parental knowledge of baby hygiene, it was declared, the mortality can be reduced seventy-five per cent, and the number of children sent to reformatories, prisons and similar institutions reduced to the minimum.

ENGLISH HONOR ST. GEORGE

LONDON, April 24.—Patriotic Englishmen were the rose today and "ever on topmost tower the banner of England flew" in honor of St. George's day. The day was not kept as a public holiday but the Society of St. George and other patriotic institutions arranged banquets in all parts of the country. The knights of the Order of St. Michael and St. George attended service at St. George's chapel.

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Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

Leaves Uncle Sam Flat

NEW YORK, April 24—Uncle Sam will have to go it alone in raising money for a Mexican war. Leon Liebowitz, who was helping, was sent to the workhouse for "soliciting funds to raise a volunteer regiment."

Say Polygamy is Only Human

NEW YORK.—Admitting that Joseph Smith, Mormon church head, openly practices polygamy, Hagbert Anderson and W. T. Monson, Mormon church officials declared it was "only human nature."

Barrel Stave Ultimatum Wins

SOUTH ORANGE, N. J.—Aided by barrel staves strategically applied and in the hands of fellow students, John Duque, was forced to climb a flag pole and salute the stars and stripes.

Enlists to Spite Mother-in-law

CHICAGO. — "My mother-in-law don't want me to enlist; I'm going to get her goat," said one man who applied at the army recruiting office.

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HONOR EVA JOLIVETTE

Miss Eva Jolivette, a sister of the county clerk, has been awarded a zoology scholarship at the University of Wisconsin, according to word received here today.

"PURE CLOTHES" FIGHT HIS PET

BY BERTON K. STANDISH.
(Written for the United Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Representative Lindquist is a Michigan republican and a mail order man. Several years ago, he was "trimmed" in buying clothes. That is the reason that today he is a congressman, and that explains, too, why he is the father of the Lindquist "pure fabrics" bill, and moreover, why his office looks like a hotel sample room.

To begin at the beginning, Lindquist, as was said before, was "taken in" in buying clothes for his mail order business. That made him angry—and it made him think that if he with his experience, could be flimflammed, the great American people must be similarly defrauded every day. That gave him an idea that legislation could correct the evils of pseudo "all wool" clothing.

Was Laughed At

So he went down to the politicians in his district and told them that he thought the candidate they put up for congress ought to agree to take a whack at the high cost of living by fostering a pure fabrics bill. The politicians looked at him in surprise—not to say disgust. "Why, in heaven's name, what does pure fabrics have to do with congress?" they snorted at him, as they practically told him that they'd endorse nothing of the sort. Lindquist thought pure fabrics had much to do with congress.

He put letters into his outgoing mail order business, asking his clients what they thought about one F. O. Lindquist for congress on a "pure clothes" platform. The replies showed that they thought right well of said Lindquist. He ran. He was elected. He put in his pure clothes bill.

It's still in congress—sleeping peacefully before the democratic interstate commerce committee, because, as Lindquist believes, a group of democrats wouldn't take any action that would rebound to the benefit of a republican.

But Lindquist has devised a new weapon. He is still in the mail order business, and he still believes in "pitiless publicity." Consequently every letter that he sends out bears a little poster, asking the recipient to write his congressman in favor of the Lindquist bill. More than a million of the flyers have gone out over the land to date, and a day never passes without some congressman coming to Lindquist to beg him to cut out this plan.

"Get the democrats to do something with my bill, and I'll let up," he calmly replies. But this explanation hasn't let light into the reason for the "sample room" effect of his office.

When he began to agitate for the benefit of the American clothes wearers, Lindquist found out some things that even with his wide experience, proved to be startling. Silk goods loaded with tin solution—leather made out of cotton—silk socks made of gun cotton—those and other deceptions practiced every day in the year made him sit up and take notice.

He remarked to a caller a few days ago:

"Look at this shoe." The counter was cut away. "That's a paper counter," he remarked. "As soon as it gets wet, the rear of the shoe is gone."

Then he proceeded to dissect it. The heel was made of "leatherine" or some such substitute. That shoe commanded good prices in the market and enjoyed a good reputation, but taken at its face value it wasn't worth more than about one dollar.

Next Lindquist flashed a piece of beautiful green "silk." "Just poke your finger into that," he remarked. The finger went through the article like paper. He explained that the goods were "loaded" with a tin solution which cheapened the product and made it wear out fast although the wearer had to pay regular silk prices. Lastly he produced a bolt of "silk.' "That's gun cotton," he explained. "That is what a lot of silk hose are made from." These were just a few of his exhibits.

"I feel that with a law such as I propose, the American people could live more cheaply than they do now," he said. "If they wanted these shoddy goods they could get them at shoddy prices, instead of the fancy rates they now pay, and if they wanted real wool, real leather, real silk, they could have them for the rates that generally prevail for adulterated goods. But at any rate, they'd get what they paid for."

In conclusion, Lindquist said that if the bill ever comes out of its democratic hiding place, it will be fought by a real lobby. He showed letters and trade paper clippings, demonstrating that the wholesale and retail clothiers are bitterly opposed to a law which would force them to label their goods with a definite statement of the contents, and indicating that they would fight such legislation to a finish.

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LAWRENCE A. WRIGHT

gas on the stomach, headaches, drowsiness after eating, etc. Have no hesitancy about giving it to any member of the family, however young or old, for it contains nothing injurious to the youngest person.

A bottle can be obtained at any nearby drug store for fifty cents or one dollar. The latter size is more economical and is bought by those who have already convinced themselves of its merits. Syrup Pepsin users learn to discard pills, salts, cathartics and purgatives generally as they are too great a shock to any average system.

Families wishing to try a free sample bottle can obtain it postpaid by addressing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 419 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. A postal card with your name and address on it wil do.

SPOTLIGHTS

"DAMAGED GOODS"

Richard Bennett and the original New York company of co-workers come to the La Crosse theater on Monday night, April 27, in Eugene Brieux's great sociological drama, "Damaged Goods,' which has created wider interest than any other play produced on the American stage within the last decade. The New York Times has described it as the play which initiates a new epoch of civilization.

'Damaged Goods" is a powerful purpose drama and deals with a subject of the social evil and its related "social diseases," subjects hitherto considered tabooed not only for the stage but for the pulpit and the press, but the sincerity and startling frankness of its treatment and the earnestness with which Mr. Bennett and his co-workers interpret Brieux's play, rob it of all unhealthy sensationalism and cause it to be accepted as a profound moral lesson.

The story concerns a young man who is about to be married. He goes to his physician for an examination and learns that he is afflicted with a terrible blood taint; he is warned that marriage would be a crime but the young egotist insists upon the ceremony, not only because he loves the girl but because he needs her dowry. In the second act the happy home of the young man is revealed to the audience. Dupont is jubilant over the arrival of a daughter. Almost immediately, however, the pall of the great red plague settles down upon them. The baby has been visited with the sins of the father. In a scene of pitiful tragedy, the young man realizes the enormity of his crime against his innocent wife and helpless child.

Eugene Brieux, the author, has been called by many the "Ibsen of France," but the comparison is inept for Ibsen only shows the gloomy side of life, while Brieux is an optimist.

In the third act of "Damaged Goods" he holds out hope for the future, not only hope for the persons of his play, but for humanity as a whole, so that the audience leaves the theater stirred to action in an effort to stamp out a great social evil.

JOVIAN ORDER MEETS

FOND DU LAC, Wis., April 24.—About seventy-five members of the Jovian order met here today for their state convention. Sessions are being held at the Palmer house. The Jovian order is composed of men conected with the electrical business. An elaborate banquet at the Palmer house will be one of the features of the meeting.

Some men are too busy to enjoy prosperity.

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HUERTA URGES MOB TO RIOT AGAINST AMERICAN CITIZENS

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O'Shaughnessy to me the last time I saw him.

Legislators Lead Mob

Members of the house of deputies led the mob which rioted in front of the American club after the news of Vera Cruz was received.

The news of the landing of the marines came to the people through extra editions of the newspapers. The dictator seemed to do everything possible to inflame the crowds. He was successful. They stormed through the streets, driving Americans before them, and then swept on toward the embassy.

O'Shaughnessy had no word from Washington as to the action that had been taken, as messages to him were withheld.

At the request of Ambassador Carden a guard of forty police was sent by Huerta, but throughout Tuesday and Wednesday night the embassy was surrounded by hooting, jeering crowds.

Huerta's action in permitting the mobs to visit their anger against the Americans was obviously in an effort to gain sympathy. If the dictator finds that the followers of Carranza and Zapata, the bandit chief of the south, are anti-American he may even permit violence in an effort to consolidate the divided factions of the country.

Vera Cruz Troops Rage

Enroute to Vera Cruz, our train came upon the federal army which fled from Vera Cruz and I talked with the Mexican soldiers. They were wild with anger and declared they would return soon and "wipe out the Americans."

"The Americans fired before we expected," the troopers said, as they related the story of the landing, their hatred for the American sailors increasing with every repeated detail.

"We carried fifteen cannon away with us," the soldiers told me, "and will soon be ready to return and drive out the gringo invaders."

Try to Arrest Shepherd

I took a photograph of the retreating troops and at the next station, within two miles of the American lines, our train was held up by the federal soldiers for four hours. The officer in command demanded that I be taken from the train.

"Mr. Britisher, I believe you have deceived us," the officer declared as he insisted upon my arrest. He evidently mistook me for a British subject.

T. H. Hohler, the British charge d'affaires, refused to surrender me. There was some further parleying, but with the arrival of the relief train on which were British bluejackets from the Essex, we were permitted to continue toward Vera Cruz.

All passengers were transferred to the relief train for the final stage of the trip into Vera Cruz. The engine which pulled the refugees into the seaport city had been filled with 4,000 buckets of water carried by the crews of the battleships Arkansas and Florida. Not being in possession of any water tanks it is necessary for the American forces to carry the water used on the engines.

500 in Guadalajara

There are 500 Americans in Guadalajara who are probably in as great danger as those remaining in Mexico City. Anti-American sentiment is to be permitted to run rampant until the anger of Huerta is satisfied. He has the double purpose of revenge for Vera Cruz and support in a general conflict with the United States.

The dictator is going to every extreme means to raise an army and funds. He is making paper money galore. A guard of soldiers was sent to an American printing shop where money was being produced.

TO MAKE MILITIA REGULARS BY LAW IS EFFECT OF BILL

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where the troops are called upon to cross the nation's boundaries.

The procedure was followed in the Spanish American war. The company is assembled, and formally mustered out of service. Then the captain or mustering officer gives the command.

"Company ———raise your right hands."

The oath ushering the company, as a body, into the volunteer army for world-wide service is then administered.

May Vote On It

Whether, after the process of mustering out is completed, an individual member of the company can decline to take the oath for volunteer service, is in dispute, owing to conflicting decisions. The point is covered by the method of preceding the mustering in and out by a vote of the company, in which a three-fourths majority controls all, but its legality is said to be mooted.

Officers of high rank believe that should emergency require, the war department might assume full authority to order the militia into service within or without the country, regardless of possibly adverse constructions of the law.

May Muster Out

General Holway said today that until orders arrive the exact method of procedure adopted by the war department will not be known, but local officers are of the opinion that, as even should the bill mentioned in the above dispatch become a law, its repeal of the option as to federal service given those at present enlisted at the time they took the oath cannot deprive them of their right to exercise that option, but will apply only to new enlistments, the plan pursued in the Spanish-American war will be pursued.

Confusion Explained

Capt. F. H. Fowler, of Company M, said today that the oath which has been administered here to present members enlisted during the past two years conforms to the proposed new oath in that the recruit pledges himself to service outside the nation if called. His interview furnishes the first illumination of the badly confused subject of the rights and obligations of a militiaman.

"Two years ago," said the captain, "the Dick law passed by congress established a new oath which in effect placed the state militia as completely under the president's control as are the regulars, so far as leaving the country was concerned. The law removed all the red tape of mustering the men out of the state service and into the federal service.

Declared Void

"But immediately the attorney general of the United States held that that portion of the law which would compel a state militiaman to serve outside the country was void, because the constitution guaranteed him an option in the matter.

"The new law, now pending, seems to seek to avoid this constitutional guarantee by changing the term 'militia' to 'volunteer.' The 'volunteers' created by enlistment under the act will be state 'militiamen' exactly as now, with the one exception that they have lost their option to refuse to leave the United States, but must go if ordered to do so.

"We have administered the oath provided by the Dick law, which is a pledge of service to the flag in any country.

"The subject is not important here, however, as I am sure both local companies will go, to a man."

DON'T ENTIRELY TRUST MR. VILLA

Attitude of Washington Is to Take Declaration at Face Value and Watch Him

BY JOHN E. NEVIN.
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, April 24.—The administration today refused to admit the constitutionalists will side with Huerta. Although troops are hurrying to the Texas border, the president today emphasized again that this nation's quarrel is directed against Huerta alone. The only reprisals contemplated are against the dictator in Mexico City. The suggestion came from the president himself that he has taken Carranza and Villa's promises, presented to the state department by their representatives here, at their face value.

The cabinet meeting today considered the entire Mexican situation.

Play to Grandstand

Secretary Bryan said he also had been told by constitutionalist representatives here that the demand from Carranza that our forces evacuate Vera Cruz and recognize the dominance of the constitutionalists in Mexican affairs was chiefly designed to show his followers that he (Carranza) was upholding the Mexican honor.

Washington was without any confirmation of the report that the revolutionists and federals at Torreon have agreed to a truce pending developments at Washington and Mexico City. If the report proves true it will confirm the belief of the army and navy war council that even though Villa and Carranza try to do so, they cannot prevent the rank and file of their armies making common cause on the United States.

Border in Danger

Meanwhile, the situation along the border is dangerous. Senator Shepard and Postmaster General Burleson received dispatches today from the people of Bracketsville and Eagle Pass, Texas. Bracketsville is adjacent to Fort Clark and the people protested vigorously against the withdrawal of headquarters and a battalion of the Fourteenth infantry at that place. It was stated that reliable information was available showing that Mexicans planned to raid the town. Eagle Pass protested that only the Fourteenth cavalry was available for protection there, and an invasion by Mexicans was feared.

Two Expeditions

It was learned on high authority that when word is finaly given to crush Huerta and take Mexico City two expeditions wil be organized. One will go inland from Vera Cruz. The second will go south and if present plans are followed it will go south from E Paso.

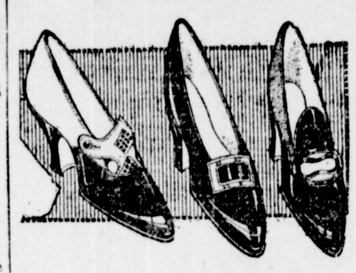
Representative Fitzgerald, chairman of the house appropriations committee, conferred with the president today. He told the executive that the democratic majority stood ready to furnish unlimited funds to finance the forces who are to uphold the national honor.

It was stated at the White house that the president has not even considered a call for volunteers. He believes that the regular army and navy and the national guard which will be subject to his orders as soon as the militia bill is signed, will be sufficient for the present.

SAYS HUERTA RESIGNED.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 24.—District Judge Gonzales of Nuevo Laredo claims to have received a telegram from Mexico this morning announcing that Huerta had resigned the presidency in favor of Foreign Minister Portillo y Rojas, and that he (Huerta) would take command of the Mexican army.

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CROWDS FLOCK TO ARMORIES TO SEE MILITIA IN DRILL

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tered out after three years' service in the marine corps. When mustered out he was a corporal.

Augustus G. Dyson, 427 South Third street, served four years in the navy, having benn mustered out a year ago and last night enlisted as a member of Company M.

A list of the new members of M company with their addresses follows:

Nine New Men

Harry Mossey, Bangor, Wis.
Augustus G. Dyson, 427 South Third.
Frank A. Miller, 607 North Tenth.
Don A. Cameron, 1302 State.
Charles W. Kennedy, Grand Crossing.
Joseph C. Bartlett, 347 Soutah Twenty-second.
Sydney C. Moore, Onalaska.
Arthur H. Holthaus, Onalaska.
Charles Brown, 516 South Third.

Tests Are Rigid

All of the applicants were put through a rigid physical test by Major D. S. McArthur, surgeon. The test, many claim, is more severe than that of the regular army. The men are also tested in reading and writing, it being imperative that all soldiers have a knowledge of the English language.

Wednesday morning Co. M will be inspected by Captain Robert Westcott of the regular army. Because of the great interest in the militia at the present time a large crowd of spectators are expected. Captain Fowler may make arrangements to secure a large hall for the inspection, room being limited in the present quarters.

Expect Early Call

That the officers expect early summons to action was made plain last night when Captain Bradley ordered his men to procure their own toilet articles, underwear and other equipment to avoid the hurry of eleventh hour preparations.

In view of the fact that the annual inspection takes place Tuesday night and all equipment will then be furnished to the members of the company, it is clear that the Company B commander is anticipating a call within the next few days.

To Assemble Sunday

Orders were issued to all members to meet at the armory Sunday with full equipment and to have their rifles in first class condition for action.

Last night's drill was held under the direction of Sergeant A. Martin, one of the four Wisconsin militia drill officers.

Eight new recruits made application for enlistment to Lieutenant William C. Paul. Captain Bradley hopes to recurit his company to full war strength within the next few days.

Prepare For Call

By way of preparing for speedy assembly upon receipt of a call Captain Bradley last night divided the company into four sections and detailed the following sergeants to take charge of summoning the men: Herman Rupp, Ernest Fehlberg, George J. Roellig and Emil D. Schultz.

No Orders Yet

MADISON, Wis., April 24.—There has been no word received from Washington by the office of the adjutant general in regard to preparing the state national guard for war, according to General Orlando Holway, this morning.

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VERA CRUZ QUIET BUT SNIPERS ARE STILL ON THE JOB

Three More Americans Meet Death by Mexican Bullets in Desultory Fighting Wednesday

PREPARE TO USE AIR SCOUTS

Men in Aeroplans to Keep Track of Movements of Attacking Force Under Maas

REFUGEES SHIP CARRIES MANY

Esperanza Sails for Galveston with Americans from Mexico City and the Interior

BY BERNARD RUCSKER.
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

VERA CRUZ, Mexico, April 24.—Aeroplanes flying high over Vera Cruz and out over the surrounding territory, on scout duty, was the possibility held out here today with the arrival of the battleship Mississippi. The dreadnaught, carrying an aeroplane corps, joined the fleet of Rear Admiral Badger.

The troops of General Maas, former military governor of Vera Cruz, are still reported fifteen miles outside the city. Should Admirals Fletcher and Badger receive reports that the reinforcements Maas is said to be expecting are approaching, the aeroplanes could quickly take to the air and bring back reports of the positions of the federal troops. An attack upon Vera Cruz is more or less expected, but the American officers do not believe it will be attempted until Maas is reinforced by troops from Mexico City.

Sniping Keeps Up

Vera Cruz was comparatively quiet last night. Occasional sniping continued, however, and the marines and bluejackets were kept busy raiding houses from which shots were fired, and making arrests.

A great quaitity of ammunition was found in a parochial church from which there had been continual sniping. The marines arrested the padre who dropped to his knees in the street, praying loudly and protesting his innocence.

The refuge ship Esperanza has left for Galveston, crowded with Americans who have fled from Mexico City and other interior cities. They left everything behind them, many carrying only light luggage.

The marines and bluejackets continued their work of cleaning up the city today in the face of sniping from the housetops. Three more men men were killed by the sharpshooters yesterday. A total of fourteen have so far lost their lives. Eighty wounded are aboard the hospital ship Solace.

General Maas is now at Soladad and has been reinforced by 1 800 men. He is threatening to attack Vera Cruz and Captain Rush and Major Butler commanding the marines, have taken every precaution to guard approaches to the town.

Rear Admiral Fletcher advised all Americans to leave the hotels here and spend last night on the refugee ship Mexico. No reason was given but sniping again broke out during the night and the commanders are believed to be expecting another engagement.

Reports from the hospital ship Solace today declared that only three of the wounded marines and bluejackets are in a serious condition. They are Pullian, Wright and Peoples.

The dead have been embalmed and will be sent north at the first opportunity.

SAYS VILLA WILL BE LEFT HELPLESS

WASHINGTON, April 24. — "Within five minutes after war exists between this country and Mexico, General Villa and his forces will be nonentities," a member of Gen. Wood's staff declared this afternoon. "Within that time we can cut off his entire food supply, starve his army and subdue them without firing a gun."

This official pointed out that Villa and his forces are receiving their entire food supply from this country or southern Mexico. He said that plans are all completed to cut off the food supply if at any time it becomes necessary.

DECIDED FOR WAR SITTING IN AUTO

Huerta Settled Refusal of Tampico Apology Sitting in O'Shaughnessy's Motor-car

BY WILLIAM G. SHEPHERD
(United Press staff Correspondent)

VERA CRUZ, April 24.—Victoriano Huerta and Nelson O'Shaughnessy verbally fought out, on the street, in the open view of the public, the momentous matter of the Tampico incident, on which hung the question of whether American troops should force the dictator to respect the flag.

Found at Bar

With his usual irregularity, Huerta left his home at an early hour. He did not go to the palace nor did he leave word where he planned to go. O'Shaughnessy, having received a 1,000 word cablegram of instructions from Washington, set out to find Huerta, making the usual rounds of the Cafe Colon, where the dictator's morning cognac is usually taken; two or three other cafes which form resting places in the occasional progress to the palace, and finally the Jockey club.

It was at the Jockey club that O'Shaughnessy found his man, standing at the bar.

"Have you your automobile about there?" asked Huerta.

"Yes," replied O'Shaughnessy, "my new one."

"Let's go out and sit in that," said Huerta.

Sat in Car

The two men left the club and stepped into the car, which stood on a side street. Huerta's attendants and body guards drew aside and for three quarters of an hour O'Shaughnessy and the dictator argued.

O'Shaughnessy spoke smilingly, but Huerta spoke vehemently, forcing his right fist from to time to time in the palm of his left hand. O'Shaughnessy said Huerta was not drunk. At the conclusion of this public conference the charge drove away in his automobile and filed his report to Washington.

Ready to Flee

In the event of a crisis Huerta has made all preparations for flight. His plan is to declare that he is leaving for the front. With him he will have a small body of soldiers known as the battalion of supreme powers. He will elude these, according to his plan, and will seek refuge on a Japanese cruiser at Manzanillo on the Pacific coast.

The papers print what Huerta orders. The probability is that in arranging to escape, the dictator will cause the papers to print that there is great danger from the rebels on the Pacific and that it is necessary for him to go to the front. It is well known that he has made most strenuous efforts to keep the road toward the Pacific clear of rebels. The report therefore, will be an untruth, but will give Huerta the necessary excuse for leaving the capital.

MAYOR REFUSES TO SIGN ORDERS FOR OFFICIALS

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merely turned the work over to Alderman Torrance.

Torrance's Position

Mr. Torrance could not be reached with an inquiry as to the withdrawal of the bills, but previously he has explained that he merely does the casting for B. Ott & Sons, who do no casting, and who buy all their castings for all purposes from him. The bill just presented, he says, was for work done directly for the city, but he consented to do it as a favor for the engineers, Alvord & Burdick, Chicago, who after finding an emergency job could not be completed in Chicago inside of three weeks asked him to come to the relief of the city in the matter.

Alderman Robert Schultz, a north side baker, had a bill for $17.90 in. It was for bread furnished the city to feed prisoners in central police station. The mayor refused to sign it.

A bill for $1.11 from the L. C. Colman Lumber Co., was turned down because L. C. Colman is a member of the park commission.

City Attorney Rules

A few days ago the mayor asked the city attorney for a ruling on the subject. Today he received it. City Attorney Higbee, in a letter to the mayor, said that while, in his opinion, no moral wrong had been intentionally done, technically, they were guilty of a violation of the law as laid down in the city charter.

The section, which the city attorney quoted in his letter to Mayor Sorensen, is section 1 of Chapter 15 of the charter.

Schubert Waiting

Attorney Schubert today declared that, if the bills of city officials are not presented to the council tonight he will take no action. In the event they are, he said, and are voted for payment by the council, he will immediately secure an injunction restraining the city treasurer from turning over the money.

BURY P. A. FLANAGAN.

The funeral of P. A. Flanagan, who died Tuesday afternoon at his home, 714 South Seventh street, was held this morning at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's church, Dr. Robert B. Condon officiating. The pallbearers were Daniel Deneen, William Fitzsimmons, John Fitzpatrick, James Mullen and James B. Murray of La Crosse, and O. W. Duffy of Galesburg, Ill. Burial took place in the Catholic cemetery.

FRANK CASSIDY IN CAVALRY

Frank Cassidy, 315 South Third street, is with Troop I, 13th cavalry, stationed at Fort Reilly, Kansas. He enlisted a year ago last March. Word was received from him yesterday, saying that he expects to be called to the front at any time.

Lots of people expect something for nothing. Many a fellow who travels on his uppers wants a lower berth.

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The admission for this attraction, **Children 10c, Adults 20c.**

THE CASINO



IN THE NEW COSTUMES MUCH OF THE DRAPERY IS DRAWN TO THE BACK.

At a recent showing of imported fashions there were several long, all enveloping motoring coats that were practical as well as smart. They were of homespun or tweed, with now and then one of the new cottons; perhaps the most noticeable thing about these wraps was their lightness of weight. The day has passed for women to wrap themselves in heavy, cumbersome materials; although thick and warm, the new coating fabrics are not heavy.

No. 8322 is a full length coat developed in chartreuse homespun with buttons and stitchings of black. A feature of this coat is the wide armhole and the novel collar.

To make this garment in size 36, 5¾ yards of 42 inch material are required.

Among the new costumes one sees quite a few that are entirely plain in front, having all the drapery drawn to the back. It is perhaps a more pleasing idea than that of a season or two back when most of the draperies were in front. In this instance, No. 8341, is shown a cleverly designed frock showing the new fad for "hiking" the skirt up a trifle in back; if this is not fancied the pattern is arranged for an inset section at the bottom. On this skirt the drapery is arranged to suggest a half panel in the back. The bodice is cut kimono; there is a small round collar and a vest effect with the lower portion pleated. Dark blue gabardine was used here combined with black satin.

This design requires for size 36, 7 yards of 36 inch material.

WISCONSIN WOMAN VICTIM OF STOMACH ILLS QUICKLY RESTORED

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HOPE U. S. CITIZENS WILL MAKE ESCAPE

President Declares that We Are Not Yet Actually at War with the Dictator

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon Secretary of State Bryan and Secretary of the Navy Daniels went into conference with the president in the executive office. Prior to the conference Bryan received a number of important code dispatches from Consular agents in Mexico. Boaz Long, head of the state department division of Latin-American afairs, was later summoned to the meeting.

President Wilson was very hopeful after the conference that not only O'Shaughnessy but all of t he Americans remaining in Mexico City would surely reach Vera Cruz Saturday.

No Blockade Yet

The president said absolutely nothing has been done toward the establishment of a blockade on either the east or west coast, with the exception of the occupation of Vera Cruz. The action of the United States up to the present time is confined entirely to reprisals on Huerta. Refugees were being taken to safety at Tampico and merchant vessels have been ordered out of the harbor, but this did not necessarily mean a blockade.

He explained that he could not outline any questions of policy because to do so would be unwise and would furnish the opposition badly needed information.

So far as the embargo on arms was concerned, the president contented himself with saying that there had been no official action. He was careful to emphasize official, and said when asked regarding the known holdup of certain arms at points on the border that the matter had not been brought to his attention, indicating that the local authorities were assuming responsibility.

Not War—Now

The president said that he has not yet been notified by Senor Algara what government Huerta will ask to look out for the affairs of the Mexican government here. The president carefully explained that so far as his authority was concerned a state of war with Mexico does not exist. He said that while a request for passports always precedes war, war does not always necessarily follow. But he indicated that a hostile declaration from Huerta was looked for.

The action of Huerta in handing O'Shaughnessy his passports came as a surprise to this government and has caused delay in making arrangements for another friendly power to represent us.

The Roman Forum.

The Forum Romanum, the first that was erected in Rome, served equally for the purpose of trade and all public meetings as well as for the administration of justice by the consuls and other Roman magistrates. Later on, when the fora numbered some eighteen or twenty, they were divided into two classes, some for public meetings and the proceedings of the law courts and others for the various requirements of trade. The Roman forum corresponded to the agora, or market place, of the Greeks, and no Roman city was without this important center of judicial, political and commercial life. — New York American.

SEAT OF TROUBLE COVERS 250 MILES

Frequent inquiries have been made as to distances between points of interest in Mexico. The following table was secured by using the scale of miles in an atlas, and the figures are accurate enough for practical purposes:

Vera Cruz to Mexico City	190
Tampico to Mexico City	200
Tampico to Vera Cruz	210
Chihuahua to Juarez and El Paso	210

IOWA CHURCHES MEET AT M'GREGOR

District Association of the Congregational Churches of Iowa Meet for Two Day Session

M'GREGOR, Iowa, April 23.—A majority of the churches in the district were represented at the meeting of the Northwestern Iowa association of Congregational churches held in this city Monday and Tuesday. The meeting was quite generally conceded to have been one of the best in the history of the association. The talks and addresses were of a very good average with a note of progressiveism and optimism dominating. Those of Rev. Milligan of Dubuque, Dr. Updike of Madison, Wis., and W. C. Barber of Des Moines, who for the past eight years has been superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league in Iowa, attracted especial attention. The recent announcement that Mr. Barber will be a candidate for lieutenant governor in the republican primaries on a platform asking for the repeal of the mulct law and a return to statutory prohibition in Iowa gave added interest to his address on the "Movement Toward National Prohibition." A resolution endorsing Mr. Barber's work and his stand on the liquor question in Iowa was introduced by Rev. Milligan and adopted by the association.

School Superintendent Honored

T. R. Roberts, superintendent of the McGregor schools, has been appointed president of the Big Five Teachers' association to succeed Superintendent Cherney of Guttenberg wha has gone to Independence and is no longer in the district. The Big Five association is composed of the teachers of the five most northeastern counties of the state. The annual meeting will be held this year at Decorah, May 1 and 2. The speakers will be Dr. Judd of the University of Chicago, Dr. Jessup of Iowa City, President R. W. Cooper of the Upper Iowa University, Superintendent Harris of Dubuque, Dr. Stout of Cornell colloge and Miss Hatcher of the State Normal at Cedar Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Marten have been the guests the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Donaldson. Mrs. Marten was formerly Miss Jeane Donaldson. They have been living for the past few years at Fargo, N. D., where Mr. Harten has been a member of the faculty of the state agricultural college. He has recently resigned the position to accept a professorship in the Montana agricultural college at Bozeman, Montana.

Attend Health Meeting

Mr. Frank Kinsley left for Des Moines, Monday evening to attend a meeting the Iowa Animal Health commission of which he is a member. He was accompanied by Mrs. C. Shepard, Deputy county auditor.

Mr. S. J. Peterson returned Tuesday from Pomona, Cal., where he has been spending the winter with his daughter, Miss Anna.

Mrs. C. W. Cowles of Minneapolis has been in town for several days, the guest of Mrs. Ellsworth and her brother Mr. Harry Hunting.

The government steamer Elinor passed down river Monday stopping opposite McGregor to place buoys at the ends of the wing dams.

The Rev. W. J. Devine has been conducting a mission at the Catholic church this week holding morning, afternoon and evening services. Rev. Devie is an eloquent speaker and has been drawing large audiences.

Dr. Amelia R. Sherman departed Thursday for Philadelphia to take post graduate work at the Woman's college of medicine. Her sister Miss Althea, who is taking a trip around the world, is traveling in southern Europe at the present time.

A More Advantageous Time.

"Why do people always say, 'Kiss and make up?' I thought people usually were friends before they kissed."

"Well, you see, it's a good deal more satisfactory to kiss before the makeup is put on."—Chicago News.

This is the time of year when all a man has to do is pay rent.

"THE CLOTHES OF THE HOUR"

HART SCHAFFNER & MARX



Fine imported fabrics —handsomely tailored— Youths Regulars Stouts

$18 to $28

OUR OWN GUARANTEED BRAND

—the best style numbers from America's foremost manufacturers—chosen because they'll give the greatest satisfaction to you—and regardless of the smaller profit to us—the sort that will make you come back for your next Suit and bring your friends as well.

$12.50, $15.00, $18.00

BALMACAANS —the Young Men's Outer Garment for spring—the embodiment of the most advanced ideas in good clothes making.

$12.50, $15, $18.00

Hats

Stetson, Mallory, Guyer, and the Continental Special, the best made, at

$1.50 to $3.50

Shirts

Negligee or Outing — hand turned cuffs, unbreakable buttonholes, color fast.

$1, $1.50 and up

THE CONTINENTAL

THE L SYSTEM CLOTHES



Clever Models for Young Men —distinctive fabrics— Superb tailoring Original Styles

$20 to $28

La Crosse's Greatest Clothing Store—Henry N. Boehm, Mgr.—Corner Fourth and Pearl Street

CUP DEFENDER READY

BRISTOL, R. I., April 24.—The racing yacht Resolute, built by the flag officers of the New York Yacht club to defend the America's cup against Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock IV, will be launched at the Herreshoff yards here tomorrow. Two other yachts will compete with the Resolute for the honor of defending the cup. The yacht will cost $150,000.

ORRINE

FOR DRINK HABIT

So uniformly successfuy has ORRINE been in restoring the victims of the "Drink Habit" into sober and useful citizens, and so strong is our confidence in its curative powers, that we want to emphasize the fact that ORRINE is sold under this positive guarantee. If, after a trial, you get no benefit, your money will be refunded. ORRINE costs only $1.00 per box. Ask for Free Booklet. O. T. Erhart, 518 Main street.

INCREASE CO. L. TO WAR STRENGTH

Captain Merrill of Sparta Company Announces that Applications for Enlistment Will Be Received

SPARTA, Wis., April 24.—Captain R. A. Merrill is ready to recruit Co. L to full war strength, according to a bulletin issued yesterday. All those from the age of eighteen to forty-five, of sound body and mind, will be accepted. A preference will be given to Spanish war veterans in enlistments. The order is issued as the result of an order from Colonel Richards.

Marriage License Issued

A license to marry has been granted by County Clerk O. J. Jackson to Clarence E. Hitchcock and Marie Axelson, both of the town of Sparta.

Cemetery Meeting

The annual meeting of the Sparta Cemetery association will be held at the office of the secretary, G. A. Richardson, at 7:30, May 4th. All persons owning lots in the Woodlawn cemetery are entitled to vote at this meeting. The trustees will meet directly after the adjournment of the annual meeting to organize the new board and elect new officers.

YEOMEN DANCE

The weekly dance of the Yeomen was held Tuesday evening in Linker hall, a large number of members and friends attending. Hackbart's Yeomen orchestra of five pieces furnished the music for the occasion. The Yeomen will hold their regular weekly meeting next Tuesday evening.

The Effects of Opiates.

THAT INFANTS are peculiarly susceptible to opium and its various preparations, all of which are narcotic, is well known. Even in the smallest doses, if continued, these opiates cause changes in the functions and growth of the cells which are likely to become permanent, causing imbecility, mental perversion, a craving for alcohol or narcotics in later life. Nervous diseases, such as intractable nervous dyspepsia and lack of staying powers are a result of dosing with opiates or narcotics to keep children quiet in their infancy. The rule among physicians is that children should never receive opiates in the smallest doses for more than a day at a time, and only then if unavoidable.

The administration of Anodynes, Drops, Cordials, Soothing Syrups and other narcotics to children by any but a physician cannot be too strongly decried, and the druggist should not be a party to it. Children who are ill need the attention of a physician, and it is nothing less than a crime to dose them willfully with narcotics.

Castoria contains no narcotics if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

P.P.P. (Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium)

Prompt Powerful Permanent

Its beneficial effects are usually felt very quickly. Stubborn cases yield to P. P. P. when other medicines are useless. Good results are lasting—it cures you to stay cured

P. P. P.

Makes rich, red, pure blood—cleanses the entire system—clears the brain—strengthens digestion and nerves.

A positive specific for Blood Poison and skin diseases.

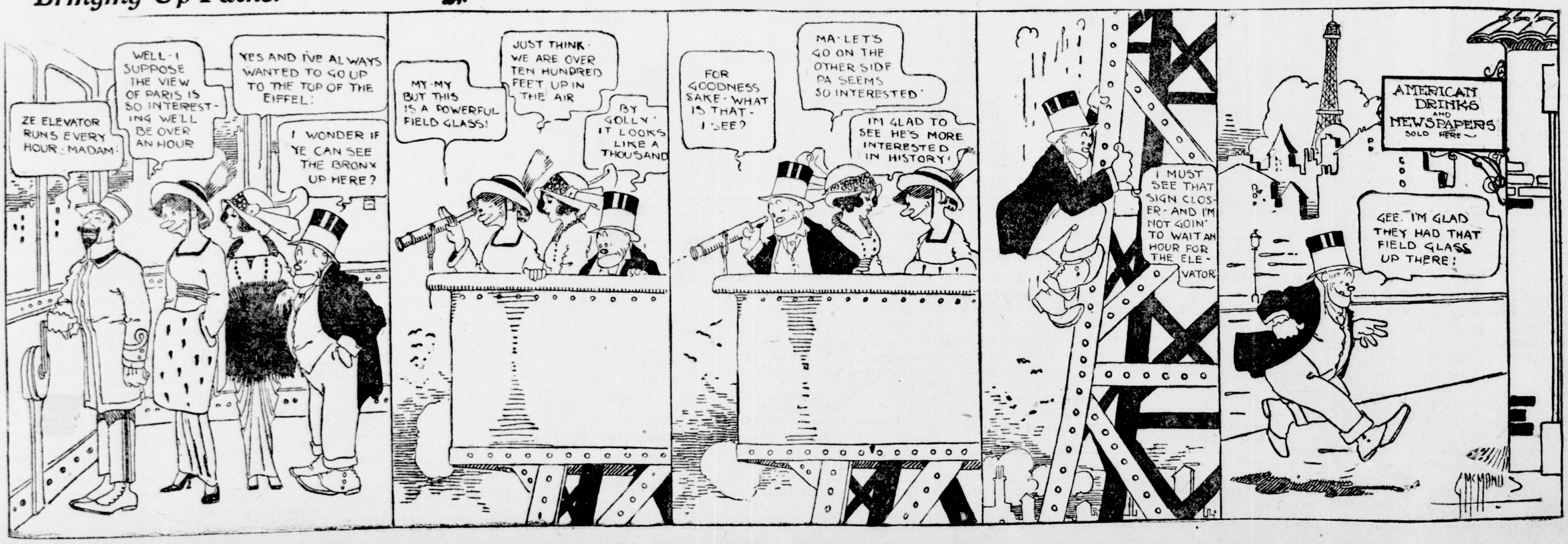
Drives out Rheumatism and Stops the Pain; ends Malaria; is a wonderful tonic and body-builder. Thousands endorse it.

F. V. LIPPMAN CO. At All Druggists SAVANNAH, GA.

Bringing Up Father

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By George McManus



Free Orchestra Concert Saturday Afternoon and Evening

DOERFLINGER'S. YOU PAY LESS HERE

All The Latest Popular Sheet Music, per copy 10c

APRIL SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

We anticipated a crowd for the opening of this sale yesterday, but the attendance we did receive exceeded our expectations. We knew we had extreme values to offer, but we were not sure that the mere mention of them could attract. We feel grateful to know that the women of La Crosse appreciate our efforts, accept our advertising statements and know that what we offer is exactly as represented.

You will find the assortment arranged as follows. The following items are only a representation of the immense stock:

TABLE NO. 1
Corset Covers, the regular 25c sellers, sale price each
13c

TABLE NO. 2
One lot **Women's Drawers,** value supreme; special sale price
13c



TABLE NO. 5
A big line of White Muslin **Petticoats,** special sale price each
23c

TABLE NO. 6
Has an excellent quality **Corset Covers** that retail regular for 35c, special sale price
19c

TABLE NO. 3
One lot **Combination Suits,** regular $1.25 quality, special sale price
89c

TABLE NO. 4
Contains **Gowns,** the best values ever offered, sale price
39c

TABLE NO. 7
Princess Slips, excellent quality $1.00, special sale price
69c

TABLE NO. 8
Marcella Combinations. Suits in Crepe and plain materials, $1.25 value, special sale price each
98c

Stationery and Candies

Jelly Beans, assorted flavors, per pound	5c
Hershey Almond or Milk Chocolate Bars, each	3c
Good Luck Butterscotch, a tasty confection, special at pound	7c
Chocolates with good Cream center, per pound	10c
Royal Mixed Candy, consists of Jelly Beans, Cream Candy, Soft Gums, lb.	6¾c
Novelty Post Card Records, fit any disc record machine, each	10c
Eaton Crane Pike Linen Voile Box Stationery, 50c value at	19c
Laurel Fabric Pound Paper, extra special at	15c

Look for the Bargain Squares in Center Aisle First Floor. Unmatchable values not advertised.

Undisputable Bargains in GROCERIES FOR SATURDAY

10 pounds Fine Granulated Sugar for ..... Delivered with a Grocery Order of 50c or more.	43c
Sweet Juicy Navel Oranges, extra fancy, per dozen	23c
Wisconsin Early June Peas, Neshonoc brand, 15c value	11c
Tomatoes, Splendid brand, No. 3 can	10c
Armour's Veribest Pork and Beans, 10c size	8c
15c size	12½c
20c size	16c
Batavia brand Corn, Maine pack, per can	12½c
White Bear Preserves, pure Fruit and Sugar, quart jar	23c
Fancy S. D. Japan Tea, our regular 50c brand, per pound	45c
Fancy Bulk Cocoanut, per pound	17c
Navy Beans, per pound	5c
Large Oregon Prunes, per pound	15c
Snider's Catsup, large bottle for	23c
Grandad Flour, special Saturday with 10 extra premium stamps at	$1.30
Rose Bushes, choice of a fine assortment at	10c

For Saturday selling we will have a full line of Fresh Fruits and Vegetables.

CORSET Special

Now is the time to get an inexpensive Corset for summer wear. An excellent garment in the new spring style, a good assortment of sizes, for Saturday each

87 cts.

Look for the Bargain Squares in Center Aisle First Floor. Unmatchable values not advertised.

Another Installment of Supreme Offerings in Housefurnishings



19c for Garden Rake, 12 or 14 tooth, 25c value.

23c for Combination Hoe, made of malleable iron, value 25c.

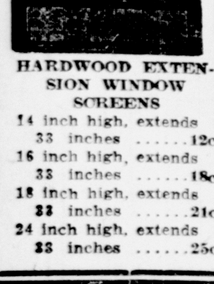
25c for malleable Iron Lawn Rake, value 35c.



19c for Tin Sprinkling Can, 4 quart size, made of heavy Tin, value 25c.

6½c per foot for guaranteed Garden Hose, coupled, value, 10c.

$2.25 For Lawn Mower, self sharpening, value $3.00.



47c for Garden Spade with D handle, value 75c.

HARDWOOD EXTENSION WINDOW SCREENS

14 inch high, extends 33 inches	12c
16 inch high, extends 33 inches	18c
18 inch high, extends 33 inches	21c
24 inch high, extends 33 inches	25c

$1.29 for the No. 29 Fancy Screen Door with splindler, two coats Varnish Stain, all fixtures.

98c for Screen Door, Walnut Stained, 3 inch panel, any size, complete fixures.



58c for gallon of Boiled Linseed Oil, best grade.

29c for pint can Screen Paint, Green or Black.

6¾c lb. for White Lead, best grade.

9c for can Varnish Stain, for Painting your floors.



$6.75 for the Bon Ami Oil Cooking Stove, automatically generated, a glass tank,

$1.25 For Velocipede, Malleable Iron wheels, val 1.75

69c for Roller Skates, Boys or Girls, Steel Roller, value $1



JAPALAC for painting your floors—

One-fourth pint size	12c
One-half pint size	23c
1 pint size	40c
1 quart size	73c
Half gallon	$1.39

MONEY-BAK READY MIXED PAINTS

Half pint size	9c
One pint size	18c
One quart size	39c
Half gallon size	69c
One gallon size	$1.29





$19.50 for the Diamond Bicycle, strictly high grade with Coaster brake and mud guards, 22 or 24 inch frame, made of 1 inch 18 gauge seamless tubing, full flush joints, reinforced extension adjustable handle bars, complete tool bags and the tires we guarantee for one year. A regular $25.00 bicycle.

BICYCLE SUNDRIES

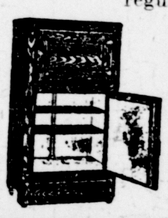
Never Leak	21c
Rubber Cement	4c
Inner Tubes	69c
Foot Pump	29c
Bicycle Chains	69c
Handle Bar Grips	12c
Bicycle Spokes, 6 for	5c
Saddle Springs	54c
Pants Guards, per pair	2c
Handle Bars	89c
Speedwell Tires, guaranteed	$1.89



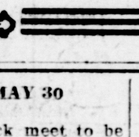
1¾c Per sq. foot for Wire Cloth for Screening your window and doors.



$11.50 for fine Pullman Reed Go-Cart, Repp or Upholstered shellac or baronial finish, enameled Gears to match, a regular $20 value.



$5.48 for Hardwood Refrigerator, Golden Oak finish, ice capacity 35 lbs., charcoal filled, $6.75 value.



Alabastine
The Sanitary Wall Coating

43c for 5 pound package Alabastine, the sanitary Wall Coating, any color.

7c for 50 foot Clothes Line, well braided, will not stretch, 15c val.

29c for 5 pound package Freskoline Wall Coating, 40c val.

69c for Searchlight, the tubular kind, with battery.

DOERFLINGER'S. YOU PAY LESS HERE

Special Sale of Smart Spring MILLINERY

We have just received a shipment of very smart Hats which we are placing on sale at special prices Saturday.



Trimmed Hats

Trimmed Hats of the latest and smartest patterns, both imported and domestic models. Hats selling usually up to $6.00, at the special price of—

$2.98

Untrimmed Shapes in a wonderful variety of styles, at each **$1.48**

Roses A gorgeous assortment of Roses, specially priced at ..... **19c, 39c and 49c**

RUSSIA BOOSTING ATHLETIC SPORTS

Appropriate $42,500 for New Department of Physical Culture; Government Behind Plan

(By Hal Sheridan, written for the United Press)

NEW YORK, April 24. — Even Russia is perking up and taking a decided interest in sports. With France maintaining an "athletic university" and Germany and England giving attention to the sport field, Russia has now joined the general rush to get aboard the wagon.

A grant of $42,500 has been made by the Russian treasury for the organization of the new government of physical culture, pending the appropriation by the duma of a considerably larger amount for the first year's work. General Voyeikoff, the chief superintendent of the new department, and his assistants are now busily engaged in revising the statutes of the different sport organizations which will hereafter be under the control of the new department. The statutes are to be revised so that their various activities may be coordinated and friction avoided.

On the board of management is a representative from each of the government ministries and from each of the seven sport leagues—Heavy athletics, Light Athletics, Lawn Tennis, Football, Rowing, Sailing and Fencing. The work of the department will be distributed in six sections; hygiene and physical exercise, educational, sports and gymnastics, propaganda, statistical and inspection.

Czar Nicholas has watched the developments of the department with the warmest interest and has made a number of personal suggestions regarding its organization. The department expects to conduct an all-Russian Olympic games meeting at Riga in July. Evidentally everybody is inspired with an ambition to lick Uncle Sam at something. And everybody's welcome to take a crack. Driving competition means that the standard of American athletics will have to be raised gradually but with the lead this country has it should be many years before we are unhorsed.

A Rabbit and a Whistle.

Did you know that a short, sharp whistle from the mouth would stop a rabbit? It surely does. Next time you see little Molly Cottontail leap from her burrow and make off don't shoot; just whistle. Whether from fear or curiosity I cannot tell, but she will stop still in her tracks. An antelope has been known to do likewise. An African hunter once said that the elephant is the most timid of all animals and can be frightened into a cold sweat by a mysterious noise.—New York Press.

Romance of Few Words.

"Why are you so pensive?" he asked.

"I'm not pensive," she replied.

"But you haven't said a word for twenty minutes."

"Well, I didn't have anything to say."

"Don't you ever say anything when you have nothing to say?"

"No."

"Will you be my wife?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Wisconsin—In Probate—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Gilbert M. Woodward, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County, deceased.

Letters of administration in said matter having been granted to Andrew Lees of La Crosse, Wisconsin, notice is hereby given that six months after the 16th day of April, A. D. 1914, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the third day of November, A. D. 1914, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court in the Courthouse in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 16th day of April, 1914.

By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

PURE FOOD SHOW

FOND DU LAC, Wis., April 24.—The pure food show arranged by local grocers opened in the Armory yesterday. The displays will be open the remainder of the week. Over fifty manufacturers and jobbers had their goods on exhibition.

Having just reached his fifty-fourth birthday anniversary, Mr. Bryan can still look forward to several presidential campaigns.

Purifies Blood With Telling Effect

Gives Conscious Evidence of Its Direct Action.



S. S. S., the famous blood purifier, almost talks as it sweeps its way through the circulation. Its action is so direct that very often in some forms of skin affliction the appearance of the eruptions changes over night, the itch and redness are gone and recovery begins immediately.

As a matter of fact, there is one ingredient in S. S. S. which serves the active purpose of stimulating each cellular part of the body to the healthy and judicious selection of its own essential nutriment. That is why it regenerates the blood supply; why it has such a tremendous influence in overcoming eczema, rash, pimples, and all skin afflictions.

And in regenerating the tissues S. S. S. has a rapid and positive antidotal effect upon all those irritating influences that cause rheumatism, sore throat, weak eyes, loss of weight, thin, pale cheeks, and that weariness of muscle and nerve that is generally experienced as spring fever. Get a bottle of S. S. S. at any drug store, and in a few days you will not only feel bright and energetic, but you will be the picture of new life. S. S. S. is prepared only in the laboratory of The Swift Specific Co., 534 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., who maintain a very efficient Medical Department, where all who have any blood disorder of a stubborn nature may write freely for advice and a special book of instruction. S. S. S. is sold everywhere by drug stores, department and general stores, but beware of all substitutes.

MEET "U" ATHLETES

MADISON, Wis., April 24. — To foster acquaintance of the student body with the university's best athletes, a "W" smoker was given at the gymnasium last night. Over fifty wearers of the "W" attended. Bryan punch, free lunch and talks by Director George W. Ehler, Coaches W. J. Juneau and T. E. Jones and Basketball Captain Eugene Van Gent featured the program.

President Huerta claims to be the best soldier in Mexico. Well, he has certainly soldiered a lot lately around the cafes.

PLAY ONALASKA

The normal school basketball team will meet the Onalaska town team in the first scheduled game of the season at Onalaska tomorrow afternoon. The game was not played with the high school last night. It is not known just who will start the game but the following men will be taken along; Shubert, layman and Immell as pitchers; Oliver, Dake, Lawton, Christianson and Lorentson as infielders; Wachter and Holthaus as catchers; and Kuehl and Huber as outfielders.

Women talk so much there never was a boarding house secret that remained a secr •

TRACK MEET MAY 30

The high school track meet to be given under the auspices of the local normal school will be held on May 30, Decoration day, instead of May 26, as was at first planned. A meet given by the University of Wisconsin will be held on the 26th, which would greatly interfere with the success of the local plans. It is also hoped that the district oratorical contest can be held on the night of the meet.

Proper Discipline.

"The ship won't mind her helm, sir."

"Then dock her."—Baltimore American.

OFFERS WAR NURSES PAY

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Volunteering her own services as a nurse in the Mexican war and offering $1,000 a month for the support of other nurses, Mrs. J. J. Brown of Denver, Col., wired Senator Shafroth of that state, who read her message to the senate.

Your Mother?

Here's to the woman who has a smile for every joy, a tear for every sorrow, a consolation for every grief, an excuse for every fault, a prayer for every misfortune, an encouragement for every hope.—Sainte Foix.

REPORTED DIAZ SAILS

BERLIN, April 24.—Commercial circles here in close touch with the Mexican affairs today had a report that ex-President Porfirio Diaz has sailed incognito for Mexico. The deposed dictator was last reported at Monte Carlo.

Mutual Regrets.

"I'm so sorry your wife couldn't come to our party. We'll miss her terribly."

"So will I. I'll have nobody to remind me on the way home of the bad breaks I made."—Detroit Free Press.

New Silk Gloves 50c and up

Scott-Rose Co.

Carter's Summer Underwear 50c and up

THE STORE THAT SELLS WOOLTEX

SALE OF EMBROIDERIES

NEVER has there been any better bargains offered in fine Embroideries than we are able to offer you at this sale SATURDAY and MONDAY. Embroideries for the summer gowns, 45 inch Flouncings, 27 inch Flouncings, 18 inch Flouncings, Allovers, Corset Covers, Bands, Edges, Insertions, Galoons, Beadings, etc., a most complete range of fine Embroideries, many of them at

HALF ACTUAL VALUE

At HALF PRICE a big lot of odd Matched Sets in Swiss, Nainsook and Cambric, Edges, Flouncings and Insertions to match, 45 inch Flouncings, 27 inch Flouncings, 18 inch Flouncings, your choice at this sale for just ..... HALF PRICE

At 13c Yd. Corset Coverings, Bands, Galoons, Flouncings, values up to 25c.

At 19c Yd. 18 inch Flouncings, Corset Coverings, Novelty Bands, Galoons, values up to 35c.

At 29c Yd. 27 inch Flouncings, Allovers, 18 in. Flouncings, Corset Coverings, Novelty Bands, values up to 50c.

At 49c Yd. 27 inch Baby Flouncings, Allovers, 27 inch Flouncings, Novelty Bands, values up to $1.00.

At 69c Yd. 45 inch Flouncings, 27 inch Flouncings, Allovers, Novelty Bands, values up to $1.50.

$3.50 Raincoats $1.98
(SECOND FLOOR)

Ladies' rubber surface Slipon Rain Coats, tan with plaid lining, military braid collar and slash pockets, all sizes from 16 to 46, worth $3.50 each, Saturday each.. $1.98

Extraordinary Suit Sale
(SECOND FLOOR)

One lot of Women's high grade Suits in latest styles and materials, complete range of sizes in the best colors of the season. Suits that are worth a great deal more than the sale price. Saturday each $18.75

Alterations will be charged for on these sale Suits.

Sale of Fine Waists
(SECOND FLOOR)

Samples of famous Reed and Geisha finest Lingerie Waists, voiles, lawns, and novelty materials, trimmed with finest laces and embroideries, high and low necks, long and short sleeves.
Values up to $6.00 for $2.98
Values up to $4.00 for $1.98

IN OUR BASEMENT

DRY GOODS
Bargains in short lengths and remnants of White Goods, Wash Goods, Embroideries, Toweling, etc.

WASH GOODS
36 inch Light and Dark Percales, worth 12½c, only per yard 10c
Figured Crepes, Tissues, Checked Lawns, Dotted Swiss, India Linens, Serpentine Crepe, the biggest bargain ever offered, worth 18c to 20c, yard 10c
Light and Dark Calicoes, the best quality American Prints, Saturday yard 5c

NAINSOOK
33 inch silk finished Nainsook, actual value 25c, on sale Saturday, yard 12½c
Lonsdale Cambric, nainsook finish, only yard .. 12½c

LADIES' VESTS
Ladies' Summer Vests, worth 15c, Saturday only each 10c

BOYS' WAISTS
$1.00 K & E Boys' Waists, only each 75c
75c K & E Boys' Waists, only each 50c

CHILDREN'S DRESSES
Children's Dresses, made of ginghams, on sale Saturday at only each 19c

MEN'S HOSE
Men's Hose in all sizes, tans and black, regular 15c value, only pair 10c

WOMEN'S HOSE
Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, ribbed top, all sizes 8½ to 10, worth 15c, only per pair 10c
Children's Black Stockings, sizes from 5 to 9, extra good quality, double knees, worth 15c, only per pair 10c

PEARL BUTTONS
All sizes of White Pearl Buttons, at only per dozen 2½c

THREAD
200 yard Spool Cotton in all numbers, black and white, only 25c per dozen or per spool 2½c

CAMBRIC
36 inch White Cambric in short lengths, worth 12½c, only per yard 7½c
36 inch White Cambric in short lengths, worth 15c, only per yard 8½c

KEWPIE KANDY
Kewpie Kandy, absolutely pure, regular 25c box, Saturday only per box 18c

CUPS AND SAUCERS
Johnson White China Cups and Saucers, worth $1.85 dozen, Saturday 6 for 50c

TUMBLERS
Thin Blown Tumblers, a big bargain, for Saturday only 6 for 25c

Voile
40 inch White Voile, regular 40c quality, only per yard 19c

Tissues
30 inch Tissues, big assortment, worth 25c, only per yard 19c

Ratine
27 inch Ratine in stripes, white grounds and solid colors, worth 35c, only per yard 25c

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Are distinctly Parisian in conception, and peculiarly American in execution, which perfect union of ideas, with supreme art-craftsmanship, produces a patrician, classic standard whose excellence is a challenge for world comparison.

La Vida lines bespeak the latest word in fashionable shapings—their daintiness of fabric, resiliency of boning, comfort and wearing qualities, make them well-nigh irresistible to the woman of taste.

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Third Floor. Take the Elevator.

Special Values For Saturday

36 inch x 63 inch **Velvet Rugs**, value $3.50, special each .. $2.25

27 inch by 54 inch best grade **Body Brussels**, in bedroom sizes, colors such as pink, blue, grey, brown, value $3.50, special each $2.75

Mission Rugs, suitable for living room and dining room, 9x12 feet, value $12.50, special ... $9.50

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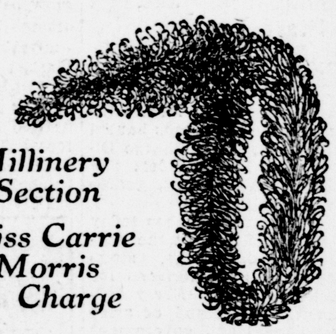
Ruffled Muslin Curtains, value 50c, special at pair 25c

Curtain Rods, the 20c kind, special at each 10c

Bed Pillows, feather filled, covered with fancy ticking, value $2, special at pair $1.25

$10.00 TRIMMED HATS Saturday ONLY **$3**





Millinery Section
Miss Carrie Morris in Charge

50 Hats, taken from our regular stock, values to $10, and some new Hats just received, including a hat like picture, with an ostrich band and stick-up on it, which will go in the same sale

At Only Three Dollars

Hats come in all colors and black.

SUMMER COURSE SCHEDULE READY

MADISON, Wis., April 24. — The normal regents announce the synopsis of courses at the summer school of the River Falls normal school, opening June 22. This is the last year that six weeks will win a certificate. In addition to the regular courses, the school will offer special courses in agriculture for expert rural teachers, in agriculture for state graded school principals, in manual training for state graded school principals, in industrial methods for state graded school principals, in domestic science for state graded school teachers, in history of Wisconsin for grade teachers, in social center work and rural economics for rural teachers, in prevention of accidents and in humane education for grade teachers, besides orchestra instruction.

Attendance on meetings of the National Education association at St. Paul in July will be counted as school work.

CELEBRATES ARBOR DAY.

COLUMBUS, April 24.—Ohio celebrated Arbor day today. Thousands of school children planted trees and participated in special exercises.

BOOKER WASHINGTON COMING TO STATE

RACINE, Wis., April 24.—Booker T. Washington, the noted negro instructor, principal of the Tuskegee normal and industrial institution, arrived here yesterday to deliver an address in the evening. The instructor will be in Wisconsin for the next week, during that time delivering twenty-two addresses.

Dr. Washington will go to Waukesha and will also speak in Janesville. Saturday he will be in Beloit and Madison and Monday he will be in Watertown. He will visit Prairie du Chien and La Crosse on Monday, Eau Claire on Tuesday, Appleton, Oshkosh and Sheboygan on Wednesday and will close his tour with a lecture in Milwaukee Thursday evening.

HOTEL MEN REACH PLYMOUTH

PLYMOUTH, Eng., April 24.—Two hundred members of the American Hotel Men's Mutual Benefit association were expected to arrive here today on board the steamship George Washington which sailed from New York on April 16. The American hotel men will make a forty-eight day tour of Europe.

INSHORE SQUADRON TO ENFORCE BLOCK

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Formation of a special squadron for inshore work in the Mexican blockade was ordered yesterday by Secretary Daniels. Rear Admiral Cameron Winslow will be in charge. He will hoist his flag on the battleship New York and have charge of the Washington, Montana, Tacoma, Des Moines, Chester, Salem, Nashville, Dolphin, Castine, Machias, Wheeling, Petrel and Eagle—all shallow draft vessels. The New York will sail from the Brooklyn navy yard Sunday or Monday.

MANY TOMAHITES ATTEND INSPECTION

Public Interest in Military Affairs Runs High at Monroe County City

TOMAH, Wis., April 24.—The largest crowd that has ever attended an inspection of Company K, W. N. G., was in attendance at the inspection of Company K at the armory on Wednesday evening. This is due to the fact that many people are interested in military affairs at present, especially since the trouble with Mexico is fast approaching a crisis. Enthusiasm runs high among the members of the company and it is possible that they may have to take part in settling the dispute between the two countries.

After the inspection medals were awarded to six of the members for the good shooting done by them on the state range at Camp Douglas last summer. Quartermaster Sergeant Vesper and Artificer Reynolds were awarded "expert marksmen" emblems and Musician H. Bancroft, Private R. Sickles, Private A. Johnson and Private Moriarity were awarded the "marksmen" emblems. A few have enlisted in the company since the rumor of war has been afloat and should the company leave it is certain that the full war quota of 108 men would be had. Now is the time to enlist in Company K, one of the best in the "Shooting Third regiment."

Seniors Win Cup

The senior class won the Rowlands cup which is contested between the junior and senior classes in a series of eight debates. The question was "Resolved, that a protective tariff system is better for this country than a tariff for revenue only." The seniors upheld the affirmative side and were represented by Mabel Baker, Will Nuzum, Raymond Reinhard and George Nicholls (leader). The juniors upheld the negative and were represented by Margery Hill, H. Finnerty, Leon McMullen and George Gleason (leader).

Orchestra to Sparta

The Company K orchestra left on Thursday to play for a dance which was given by the Yeoman lodge of that city. The orchestra has now a large list of engagements and there is a great demand for their music outside of this city.

Roads Improving

The roads in this community are better now than they have been at any time this year. The frost is all out of the ground and automobiles have but very little trouble in covering the ground now.

Locals and Personals

The garage which was being built for Mr. Ueble is now completed and is ready for use.

The senior class of the high school held a meeting on Wednesday to decide the following questions: Who should deliver the baccalaureate sermon and which photographer should take the class picture. Rev. Jonathan G. Smith of the Congregational church received twenty-seven of forty-two votes and was elected to deliver the sermon. Mr. A. Wright received twentyseven of forty-two votes and will have the class picture to finish.

E. Hunting of Mather spent Thursday here.

Mr. Max Curtis of Camp Douglas, who is in the employ of the state on the rifle range, was in the city on Wednesday to be in attendance at its inspection of Company K.

Several of the younger people of the town are enjoying roller skating on the walks in Brindleville in the evenings.

R. E. Fox of Marshfield spent Thursday looking over a prospective residence.

Mr. Sheridan Alexander, well known as a liveryman in the city, died on Wednesday after suffering for over two months with paralysis. Mr. Alexander, prior to his sickness, was engaged by the Al Switz livery as a teamster. Mr. Alexander drove the linemen for the telephone company and knew nearly every road in this section of the state. Funeral arrangements have not beet completed.

CHILD TRAINING DISCUSSED.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—"Parents' Responsibility in Training Children for Self Support, Home Making and Good Citizenship" was the general subject for consideration at the afternoon sesion of the Child Welfare Congress today. Prof. E. A. Kirkpatrick, of Fitchburg, Mass., spoke on the "Financial Training of Children." Former United States Senator Dubois of Idaho also made an address at this session. The chief scout executive of the Boy Scouts of America, James E. West, of New York, was scheduled to discuss "Training for Good Citizenship." The evening session is to be devoted to a reception by the national officers, followed by a banquet.

ITALIAN VOLCANOES ACTIVE

ROME, April 24.—Mount Vesuvius, on the west coast and Mount Etno, on the Island of Sicily, became active simultaneously today. A series of violent tremblings of the earth accompanied the eruptions. These shocks were felt for some distance about Vesuvius. Reports received here declare there is no immediate danger in the vicinity of Vesuvius.

WIFE MURDERER TO HANG.

EDWARDSVILLE, Ill., April 24.—Nikola Gavrilovich, of St. Louis, was today to be hanged at the Madison county jail for the murder of his wife in a quarrel which followed her refusal to give him $150, the amount he spent in bringing her to America. He stabbed her seven times.

Luxurant Hair Easy to Acquire

Some Splendid Beauty Secrets Taken from the Beauty Talks of Valeska Suratt, America's Greatest Beauty-Actress, and Recommended by Her in the Boston American.

"The only way to have beautiful hair is to force it. You can spend a lifetime with the ordinary hair tonics sold trying to tease it into healthy growth, but the game is not worth the candle. Here is the hair treatment formula that will produce astonishing results in a short time. It will also stop hair from falling. Mix one-half pint each of water and alcohol (or take one pint of imported bay rum if you wish) and add one ounce of beta-quinol. It is then ready to use. It is fragrant, cleanly and contains no oil. The beta-quinol costs no more than fifty cents at the drug store."

. . . "It is very difficult to develop the bust, but I have known the following formula to produce very good results. Never use mechanical appliances on the bust. Massage is of very little use. Mix half a cup of sugar, two ounces of ruetone and a half pint of hot water. Of this take two teaspoonfuls after meals and at bed time. This is absolutely safe and is the only thing that I would recommend. The ruetone you can obtain at the drug store for one dollar."

. . . Here is a simple, effective formula for wrinkles: To a half pint of hot water add two ounces of eptol and two tablespoonfuls of glycerine. Stir until it becomes a beautiful satiny cream. When cool it is ready to use. Every day's use of this brings back youth to the face in a startling manner. Wrinkles, big and little, and crow's feet, vanish. The eptol costs no more than fifty cents at the drug store.

BEATS SHARPER OUT OF MONEY

Small Town "Sucker" Too Smooth for Eastern "Green Goods" Salesman

APPLETON, Wis., April 24.—A Buffalo, N. Y., green goods dealer is out several dollars because of his experiments with several business men in central Wisconsin, whom he had expected to fleece with the old counterfeit money game. One Appleton business man is fifty cents winner because of the negotiations.

This man, several weeks ago, received by express a letter from the Bufalo sharper in which it was stated that the writer had a fine run of counterfeit money which he was willing to sell for very little. The bills, said the sharper, were so perfect that only the most expert could detect it. He advised the Appleton man to get in early and "pull down some soft money." He offered the bargan of $2,500 in bogus money for $500 and $6,000 for $100.

The recipient of the letter wired his sharper to send a sample of the bogus paper. A few days later the expressman delivered a small package in which was a new one dollar bill. The bill, of course, was perfectly good.

The Appleton man then ordered samples of the $5 and $10 bills. But the crook gave him up as a poor prospect.

ARRESTS HIMSELF

WICHITA, Kas., April 24.—Carrying in his pocket a warrant for his own arrest, charged by the Olson Brothers' Lyceum bureau, of having collected money due them and keeping it, the Rev. J. E. Dinger arrived in Wichita from Cleveland, Ohio, yesterday afternoon and presented himself in the city court to be arrested. O. H. Hicklin, marshal of the city court, who went to Cleveland to arrest the preacher, stopped for a visit with his sister in St. Louis and sent Dinger on alone.

NEW LIFE
Found in Change to Right Food

After one suffers for months from acid dyspepsia, sour stomach, and then finds the remedy is in getting the right kind of food, it is something to speak about.

A N. Y. lady and her young son had such an experience and she wants others to know how to get relief. She writes:

"For about fifteen months my little boy and myself had suffered with sour stomach. We were unable to retain much of anything we ate.

"After suffering in this way for so long I decided to consult a specialist in stomach diseases. Instead of prescribing drugs, he put us both on Grape-Nuts and we began to improve immediately.

"It was the key to a new life. I found we had been eating too much heavy food which we could not digest. In a few weeks after commencing Grape-Nuts, I was able to do my house work. I wake in the morning with a clear head and feel rested and have no sour stomach. My boy sleeps well and wakes with a laugh.

"We have regained our lost weight and continue to eat Grape-Nuts for both the morning and evening meals. We are well and happy and owe it to Grape-Nuts."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

SPECIALS for SATURDAY



Ladies' Suits

All in the very height of fashion for this spring and summer wear. All the newest shades, special at **$15.00**

These special Suits are worth $5 more. We also have others at **$7.50 to $37.50**

Just Received 50 Ladies' Coats

All shades and colors. See our specials at **$10.00**

Others up to **$18.00.**

Men

Our Suits cannot be equalled at our prices.

You can choose any from all popular materials: Serges, Mixtures, Worsteds and Cheviots. Special Saturday at **$15.00**

IF YOU COME IN SATURDAY YOU CAN BUY FOR

No Money Down

(Balance on easy weekly, semi-monthly or monthly payments.)

Having or being in a combination of over 200 stores, we can buy in such large quantities that we can buy cheaper, consequently we can sell cheaper than others. We can compete with mail order house on same grade of clothing. Try us.

Klassen's CASH & CREDIT STORE

322 Pearl St.

The kind of Shoes you've always wanted at the price you want to pay.



Wear and quality—of course. And then the niceties of style and finish that appeal to the followers of fashion who are exacting as to their footwear. Let us show you our extensive line of Smart Shoes for Spring ..... **$3.00 to $7.00**

HEIL'S FAMILY SHOE STORE

Main Street at Fourth

CRUISER AWAITS ORDERS

VALLEJO, April 24.—The cruiser Maryland sailed yesterday afternoon for California city. After a coaling the ship will go to San Francisco to a wait orders from Washington. The reserve torpedo boats, Hull and Lawrence, and Saulsilito and the Hopkins at Mare Island have been ordered to prepare to sail for San Diego Saturday.

Looking Backward.

"Some people have queer ideas of sentiment."

"For example?"

"I know a man who treasures the slipper his mother used to spank him with."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

BOATING SEASON ON

MADISON, Wis., April 24.—The boating season here opened today when William Bernard sent his fleet of launches across the lake with a party of Arcadians bound for a dance. Bernard is the first of the lake men to get his fleet in working order but others are working on their equipment, renovating and painting and will be ready to start business by the first of next month.

Ignorance.

Teacher—I am surprised that you should have such a bad lesson, George. I expected better things of you. Pupil—My pa says it is the unexpected that always happens. Funny a teacher didn't know that!—Boston Transcript.

DOES YOUR STOMACH CONTAIN A GLASSFUL OF ACID?

96 OUT OF 100 DYSPEPTICS HAVE DANGEROUS ACID IN THEIR STOMACHS, WHICH MUST BE NEUTRALIZED IF GOOD HEALTH IS TO BE MAINTAINED

If you held a teaspoonful of hydrochloric acid in your mouth for only a second you would not be surprised at its burning and inflaming all the tissues; yet an eminent specialist states that 96 out of 100 dyspeptics go about with a glassful or more of this powerful acid in their stomachs, and then wonder what causes the burning and aching and why they suffer the discomfort after meals.

To put wholesome food into an acid stomach only increase the discomfort, because the acid mixes with the fresh food and turns it sour, making a lot more acid. The acid condition causes food fermentation, which irritates, distends and inflames the tender stomach lining, and it is not surprising that specialists say acid stomachs are dangerous. This decidedly dangerous and uncomfortable condition can be overcome either by following a strict diet or, and this is far easier and more quickly effective, by taking a teaspoonful of bisurated magnesia in a quarter glassful of water after meals to neutralize the acidity. The latter course is much more satisfactory because it corrects the acidity and banishes discomfort without any need for diet.

BRAZILIAN FLAG OVER OUR EMBASSY

Stars and Stripes Hauled Down at Midnight when O'Shaughnessy and Staff Leave

WASHINGTON, April 24. — The Brazilian flag today floated over the United States embassy at Mexico City. The stars and stripes was hauled down at midnight, when Charge O'Shaughnessy and his staff left by special train for Vera Cruz, guarded by Huerta's soldiers.

State department dispatches today told of the "surrender" of the American embassy—the huge, stone castle, abandoned by Americans for the first time in years. Every official document, every stand of arms and every personal and government article of the evacuating Americans was placed under the protection of the Brazilian government. Huerta, unless he violates all international laws, cannot secure the arms and cartridges held in the embassy for many months.

Secretary Bryan stated today that steps for protection of all United Steps property had been taken. Unless rioting and vandalism—spontaneous or winked at by Huerta—should ensue, the building is believed safe.

The embassy occupies about two acres of ground on an elevation, picturesquely situated. About 1,00 Krag-Jorgensen rifles and thousands of rounds of ammunition were stored in the basement and garret.

It was suspected that if the arms were left behind, members of the embassy staff had made every rifle useless. The ammunition, of course, is not fitted for use in anything other than Krag rifles. Such a type of rifles is not widely known in Mexico.

A Free-Handed Prince.

The following is told of the famous Prince of Conde: He left his son, aged nine years, 50 louis d'or to spend while he himself was absent in Paris. On his return the boy came to him triumphantly, saying:

"Papa, here is all the money safe. I have never touched it once."

The prince, without making any reply, took his son to the window and quietly emptied all the money out of the purse into the street. Then he said:

"If you have neither virtue enough to give away your money nor spirit enough to spend it, always do this for the future, that the poor may have a chance of it."

Houses of Parliament.

The British houses of parliament at Westminster cover fully nine acres of ground.

MAID AND STATE ACCEPT WILSON

"Bobby" Proves Satisfactory to the Lady and the Commonwealth for Wedding Monday

Mr. Robert Wilson, assistant buyer in the wash goods department of L. S. Donaldson Company of Minneapolis, is to be married Monday, April 27, to Miss Ada Gustad of La Crosse, Wis. Miss Gustad was formerly of the Donaldson store "clan" and it was while they were associated in business that the little winged god with characteristic indifference to "business during business hours" practiced archery and made two people happy.

Mr. Wilson made a flying trip to La Crosse last week to ascertain whether he would be a bridegroom suitable to the laws of Wisconsin, and was assured that so great was the demand for men of his stamina that he may marry in Wisconsin as often as he pleases. The examination indicated functional heart trouble, but the parson agrees to cure that when the wedding bells ring next Monday.

After a wedding trip to Chicago and other eastern points Mr. Wilson and his bride will reside in Minneapolis. Their many friends in that city, as well as in La Crosse, wish them "bon voyage" on the bridal tour and on the longer journey together that will follow.

About two dozen of Mr. Wilson's friends of Minneapolis, all "bra Scots" have rallied to the call of their blushing brother and will accompany him to La Crosse to see that he does not lose the ring or the bride or the train or the eugenic diploma on the momentuous day.

MAPLE SUGAR PARTY.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Washington, being the home of the homeless, is a great place for reunions. One of these gatherings of the "folks from back home" will be held tonight when the Vermont State association gets together. And, as a Vermont meeting at this time of the year wouldn't be complete without maple sugar, this will be a maple sugar party—maple taffy, maple syrup straight, maple fudge and so on, made direct from the pure quill sap such as only the Green Mountain State can produce.

MEXICANS ATTACK COP

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 24.—Every precaution is being taken to prevent any anti-American outbreak among the Mexicans here. During the attempt to arrest an American pickpocket this morning a body of Mexicans attacked a mounted police officer. The police reported the situation as acute in the Mexican quarter and additional men are being sworn in.

A Gardening Secret.

Said Herbert Adams, the sculptor: "When I first planted my garden I thought I liked some flowers better than others, but after you've worked among flowers awhile, no matter what kind of flowers they are, you like them. I've noticed that certain flowers grow better for some people than for others. There's William Howard Hart—anything will grow for him! When I asked him the secret of his success he just held up his grubbing fork.

"'It's the secret the old woman had,' he told me, 'only she used a kitchen fork poking around the things. It is the care and affection you give them.'"—Suburban Life.

IRRESOLUTION.

Irresolution is a worse vice than rashness. He that shoots best may sometimes miss the mark, but he that shoots not at all can never hit it. Irresolution loosens all the joints of a state. Like an ague, it shakes not this nor that limb, but all the body is at once in a fit. The irresolute man is lifted from one place to another, so hatcheth nothing, but addles all his actions.—Owen Feltham.

Had Lung Trouble and Expected to Die

The many recoveries brought about by Eckman's Alterative are attracting wide attention. Read about this case:—

33 B St., Keyser, W. Va.

"Gentlemen:—I was taken sick in November, 1908. I grew steadily worse. Had two consultations. The verdict was the fever had affected my lungs and that my case was hopeless; only gave me two months to live. My physician had tried most all kinds of treatment and none did me any good, so he asked my husband if he objected to him trying a proprietary medicine. I began your Alterative. I was in bed from November 30, 1908, until February 25, 1909, and was thought dying several times. Today I am healthier and stronger than ever." (Abbreviated.)

(Signed) MRS. H. K. BRILEY.

Eckman's Alterative is most efficacious in bronchial catarrh and severe throat and lung affections and upbuilding the system. Contains no harmful or habit-forming drugs. Accept no substitutes. Sold by Geo. E. Mariner, Chas. A. Beyschlag and leading druggists. Write Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for booklet of recoveries.

Millinery Sale



SATURDAY

WAR IS ON IN MILLINERY PRICES.

All the stores have the cut price sales. Go and see what they have to offer. Remember style counts. You are not looking for a last year's shape. You may have one at home. Poehling's Millinery shows the very latest at less price and more style.

SATURDAY $2.95 to $11.75

Skirt Sale New Skirts in all the new shades, each **$3.98 to $12.50**

POEHLING'S

WE GIVE AWAY FIVE DOLLARS IN MERCHANDISE.

BORAH DEMANDS EMBARGO AT ONCE

Makes Plea in Senate and Registers a Protest Against the War

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Immediately placing of an embargo on arms across the Mexican border was demanded in the senate yesterday afternoon by Senator Lodge.

"We are in danger of a fight on that border at any minute," he declared. "The time has come to stop the admission of arms to Mexico on that border and everywhere else. We have read the statement of our one time ally, Carranza. What hurts me more than anything else in our whole relations with Mexico is the policy of putting this country in a position of an ally with Pancho Villa. After Carranza's statement what possible reason can there be for showing any further consideration.

"Are we so tied up with Villa that we cannot take this act against Carranza?"

Senator Fall declared that Villa had 6,000 men in Juarez and that shipments of arms were pouring in to them.

BRAZIL TO HOLD DOCUMENTS

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Secretary of State Bryan announced this afternoon that arrangements may be made with the Brazilian government for the safety of all documents and archives in the United States embassy at Mexico City. They will be turned oxer to the Brazilian ambassador, at Mexico City by Charge O'Shaughnessy.

Too Much to Ask.

Little June Marie's mother is very indulgent, but there are times when even she draws the line.

One very hot day, when all nature drooped, a neighbor saw June Marie and her mother toiling along the street under a blazing sun. June Marie was weeping aloud, struggling and holding back, but her mother dragged her firmly on over the road.

"Why, what's the matter with June Marie?" the neighbor asked.

Her mother looked patiently at the neighbor, while the perspiration ran down her glowing face. "She's crying because I wouldn't let her wear her mittens," she said.—Youth's Companion.

Against Advertising.

"Why don't you advertise?" asked the editor of the home paper. "Don't you believe in advertising?"

"I'm agin advertising," replied the proprietor of the Hayville Racket store.

"But why are you against it?" asked the editor.

"It keeps a feller too durn busy," replied the proprietor. "I advertised in a newspaper one time about ten years ago and I never even got time to go fishing."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

An Original Oath of Allegiance.

In the old days when the Spanish province of Aragon was a proud and independent monarchy the people used when choosing their king the following singular form of election:

"We, the freeborn inhabitants of the ancient kingdom of Aragon, who are equal to you, Don Philip, and something more, elect you to be our king on condition that you preserve to us our rights and privileges. If in this you should fail we own you for our king no longer."

MAN'S WORK.

It is no man's business whether he has genius or not. Work he must, whatever he is, but quietly and steadily, and the natural and unforced results of such work will be always the things that God meant him to do.—John Ruskin.

PIANOS

AT EXCEPTIONAL BARGAINS

One $350 slightly used fine Mahogany case	$185
One New $325 Sample Upright at	$200
One New $500 Player Piano, slightly used	$275
One used $550 Player Piano at	$235
One $850 Sohmer Grand, used, at	$225
One Square Piano at	$12.50
One Square Piano at	$35
One Kimball Organ at	$15
One Organ at	$10
One Crown Organ at	$40
One 6 octave Netzow Organ at	$20
One Wheelock Upright, used, at	$150

We have many other Bargains to offer. Call and see us.

NEW EMERSON PIANOS AND PLAYER PIANOS.

Also New Lindeman & Sons Player Pianos.

VICTROLAS, $15 to $200.

Sold for Cash or Easy Payments.

Fred Leithold Piano Co.

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MOVE IN WAR GAME

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Moves in the Mexican war game were seen in army orders issued today placing Brigadier General Pershing in command of Presidio post, San Francisco, with instructions to devote his time to drilling and training his brigade and detailing Captain A. G. Lott of the Sixth cavalry as a member of the general staff corps. Brigadier General Hunter Liggett was relieved from duty in Washington, assigned to command the fourth brigade and ordered to proceed to Chicago.

Suffering Humanity.

"Mrs. Sourmug, who thought she had a mission to look after suffering humanity, is married, isn't she?"

"Yep."

"I was surprised to learn that she had given up her mission in life."

"She hasn't. Her husband is going to be suffering humanity hereafter."—Houston Post.

Experience is a good asset, unless you have exchanged a bank account for it.

WISCONSIN FRUIT CROPS TO BE LARGE

MADISON, Wis., April 24.—With the exception of strawberries, for which the prospects are in doubt, all fruit crops in Wisconsin are likely to be large this year; in the opinion of experts. The State Horticultural society sent N. A. Rasmussen of Algona on an inspection tour. He visited Sturgeon Bay, Chippewa Falls, La Crosse and other points, and found all the apple and other orchard trees and the bush-bearing fruits in fine condition.

"YOUNG OLD MEN" MEET

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 24.—Members of the Young Old Men's association will meet here tonight in celebration of the first six months' achievements of the unique organization. The association was organized October 22, 1913, for the benefit of men, who because of grey hair, are barred from employment, although physically able to work. It now has 299 members and has thus far found positions for seventy-five "young old" men.



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Town and Country SHIRT

For the Active, Outdoor Man

When you play tennis, golf, or spend a day at an outing, you want a comfortable, stylish shirt, don't you?

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Any time between May 1st, 1914 and April 1st 1915, as you need it.
If carried, 25c per ton additional.

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Why not save from $1.00 to $2.00 per ton on every ton of fuel you will burn?
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TOLLS HEARING CLOSES

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Hearings on the tolls repeal bill in the senate inter-oceanic canals committee were scheduled to close today. The real fight on the floor of the senate was scheduled to begin within a short time thereafter.

Saturday Specials

Brooms, at each	25c
Sugar, 11 pounds for	49c
Japan Rice, two pounds for	15c
Soda Crackers, two pounds for	15c
Corn Flakes, per package	5c
Oranges, per dozen	12c
Wilbur's Chocolate, one-half pound	17c
Pink Salmon, per can	9c
Corn, per can	8c
Ginger Snaps, per pound	6c
Matches, two boxes for	5c
Macaroni, three packages for	23c

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ANGRILY REFUSES TO JOIN FEDERALS

DOUGLAS, Ariz., April 24. —Pro-American sentiment is evident today among the Mexican constitutionalists at Agua Prieta, just across the line. It is not believed the constitutionalists in this section will join Huerta, despite Carranza's declaration.

General Abregon, constitutionalist commander, declined to join forces with the federals at Guaymas, when invited to do so.

"The abominable crime which the traitor and assassin Huerta has committed against the Mexican nation in deliberately provoking a foreign invasion cannot be given a name from the pages of civilized history," was part of the reply of Obregon to the appeal of the Huertista commander.

"We cannot unite with your corrupt army."

Apple Wood.

Apple wood is the favorite material for the ordinary saw handles, and some goes into so called brier pipes.

NORTH SIDE

LAY OUT DIAMOND FOR ONALASKA

City's Baseball Club Will Have Same Personnel This Season as Last

With the aid of Lester Gould, Theo Comeau and Prof. Campion of the agricultural school, a baseball diamond, said to be one of the most accurate in the northwest, was laid out yesterday on the campus of the La Crosse County Agricultural school. The diamond will be used by the Onalaska baseball club, of which Theo Comeau is manager and Lester Gould an outfielder.

The personnel of the Onalaska team will be the same this year as last year with Theo Comeau as manager, Emila and Fred Christopherson in the outfield, and Alex Thompson, Harold Bucklin, Roy Phelps and Elmer Freng in the infield and Erwin Comeau behind the bat. Tomorrow the team will meet the La Crosse Normals at Onalaska and a week from Sunday the North La Crosse team, last year's amateur champions of La Crosse.

GATEWAYS DEFEAT HUMOR BOWLERS

The Gateways took last night's bowling contest at the Germania from the Humors by a margin of 820 pins. Will Ott of the Gateways led with a total of 2450 with Henry Andregg of the Humors next with 2112. Following are the scores:

Humors—	
H. J. Bitzner	1904
William Hoefner	1486
Henry Trepte	1882
Henry Walter	1984
G. H. Warninger	1728
Henry Andregg	2112
Otto Prechel	1949
E. Horn	1885
Total	14,894
Gateways—	
Will Ott	2450
William Schilling	1749
C. F. Runckel	1936
Charles Preutz	1891
A. Kohlhaus	1850
Dr. H. J. Hanson	1958
Frank Schwalbe	1924
W. J. Ennison	1929
Totals	15,714

SCHMIDT BLAMES FRIEND

NEW YORK, April 24.—District Attorney Whitman today received from Hans Schmidt, former priest and convicted murderer of Anna Aumueller, a letter in which responsibility for the death of the girl is placed on Dr. Ernest Muret. Muret is now in Atlanta prison, having been convicted of counterfeiting. Schmidt says the Aumueller girl died as the result of a criminal operation by Muret. In the letter also Schmidt admits feigning insanity during his trial.

TWO BURN TO DEATH

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., April 24.—Burton Gee, an Irwinsville merchant, and Miss Kitty Brogan of Bradford, were burned to death and Thomas G. Ward, a lumberman of Williamspart, was seriously hurt in a fire that destroyed the Glenwood hotel at Norwich, Potter county, early today.

War of the Roses.

The War of the Roses was waged between the houses of York and Lancaster and their adherents, 1455-1485. The Lancastrians chose as their emblem a red rose, while the Yorkists selected a white rose. While no great popular principle was at stake, the struggle indirectly did much for the cause of democracy. It is said that no fewer than twelve princes of the blood and as many as 250 of the nobility were killed. The effect of this upon the future political status of the country was immense.

TO DARKEN HAIR APPLY SAGE TEA

Look Young! Bring Back Its Natural Color, Gloss and Thickness

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea with sulphur and alcohol added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant, remove every bit of dandruff, stop scalp itching and falling hair. Just a few applications will prove a revelation if your hair is fading, gray or dry, scraggly and thin. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get the ready-to-use tonic, costing about 50 cents a large bottle at drug stores, known as "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphhur Hair Remedy," thus avoiding a lot of muss.

While wispy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant.

North Side Briefs

Good show at the Dreamland.

Floyd Thomason, Mindoro, Wis., spent the day with friends on the north side.

A. Ward returned to Minneapolis yesterday after a short visit on the north side.

Theodore Comeau spent yesterday visiting his mother in Onalaska.

Miss Edna Larson, 1513 Charles street, has returned from a three weeks' visit in Duluth.

M. Gullickson, West Salem, is spending a few days on the north side.

O'Neil's shoe store. Tennis bargains

J. Gilberg, 1413 Berlin street, has returned from a visit in St. Paul.

Miss Clara Larson, 1513 Charles street, has returned from a visit in St. Paul.

L. Stephenson, 1416 Berlin street, has returned from a visit to St. Paul.

The Men's society of the Charles Street Lutheran church will be entertained tonight by M. Senstad.

A. J. Evenson, 1427 George street, is spending a few days in Savanna with relatives and friends.

Miss Nellie Coady has returned to her home in Sand Lake Coulee, after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hickey, 1346 Charles street.

Miss Victoria Krapewski, who has been confined to her home, 1706 Gillette street, is again able to be about.

Mrs. J. Moore and daughter Margaret have returned to their home in La Crescent after a visit with relatives and friends on the north side.

Miss Doris Simenson, who has been confined to her home, 1724 Loomis street, with illness, is again able to be about.

Mrs. J. Kerrigan, who has been the guest of friends and relatives in Wilton, Wis., has returned to her home, 528 Mill street.

Mr. T. Griffin of Caledonia is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ryan, 914 Gillette street.

Miss Alice Combellick of Trempealeau is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Combellick, 1608 Loomis street.

The Armenian Alphabet.

An Armenian girl goes to school at four or five years old, but before that she has probably learned her "letters," which is almost an education in itself, as the Armenian alphabet contains thirty-nine. She learns these letters from a small slab of wood on which they are printed. This slab is fastened to a handle, making it something like a hairbrush in shape. The Armenians boast that their formidable alphabet is so perfect as to give every sound known to any other nation.

SERVICE EAGER TO MARCH UPON MEXICAN CAPITAL

Urge President to Send a Column to City of Mexico from Vera Cruz at Once

WAR SPIRIT INSPIRES CONGRESS

Legislators Will Welcome Word from President to Authorize War Policy

EXPECT FIGHTING AGAIN TODAY

Marines Are to Take Possession of Water Supply Reservoirs Near Vera Cruz

By JOHN E. NEVIN
(United Press Staff Correspondent).

WASHINGTON, April 24.—"Mexico City next," was the slogan today of the army and navy. Heads of both branches of the service believe there is now no chance of peace. They are expecting momentarily a formal declaration of war from Huerta. They are ready for such action.

Officers assert that unless this notion acts promptly and rushes an expedition to Mexico City our forces at Vera Cruz will be decimated by disase and constantly exposed to attack from the land. The army and navy has told the president through Secretaries Daniels and Garrison, that if the Mexican capital is seized and the railroad between Vera Cruz and the capital guarded, this country can dictate its terms and assure restoration of tranquility.

The war spirit was rampant in congress today as the brief news of the fighting at Vera Cruz. The national legislators would welcome the word from the president formally to authorize substititing a war policy for "reprisal on Huerta."

The president and his advisers, while publicity paying attention only to Huerta, are secretly keeping the strictest of watches on the headquarters of the constitutionalists.

The troops ordered from the Presidio at San Francisco are to be followed by others from the north It is certain that by Sunday the entire army will be headed south.

Think Rebels Will Bolt

Few officials here believe that the constitutionalists will remain neutral. Even though Villa and Caranza should desire to do so it is not believed they could keep more than a small percentage of their men.

Rumors of anti-American demonstrations in Mexico immediately following the leaving of Charge O'Shaughnessy have reached the state department.

The situation at Vera Cruz is giving the navy department concern today. Food supplies are running low and every effort is being made to replenish the city. If necessary the navy will issue rations to the inhabitants from the warships in the harbor until supplies can be rushed from Galveston and New Orleans.

Look for Fighting

Further fighting is looked for today when Admiral Fletcher sends a regiment of marines to take possession of the reservoirs which supply the city with water. Butler knows every foot of the territory between Vera Cruz and the capital. He has been over it some fifty times since early last fall and made maps which are now in the possession of Admirals Fletcher and Badger. This knowledge of conditions will prove invaluable to his expedition.

POISONS THAT IRRITATE

When the delicate machinery of the body is not working harmoniously, poisons are retained that should be expelled. These may accumulate in the tissues and cause irritation. Should this irritation affect joints or muscles you have rheumatism; if a nerve becomes inflamed you have neuralgia.

But if the system is kept toned up with Dr. Williams Pink Pills and no body poisons are retained, foods that once distressed you will be harmless, exposure will bring no rheumatism and neuralgia and even germ diseases need hardly be dreaded.

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The Sociable Neighbor.

"Now, don't talk too much when you go to call on our neighbor. You may answer questions, of course."

"That is all I ever do," said the child. "And they ask a great many questions. Last time they asked how much salary papa got and if he ever quarreled with you." — Kansas City Journal.

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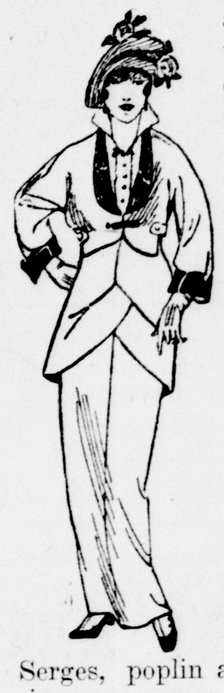
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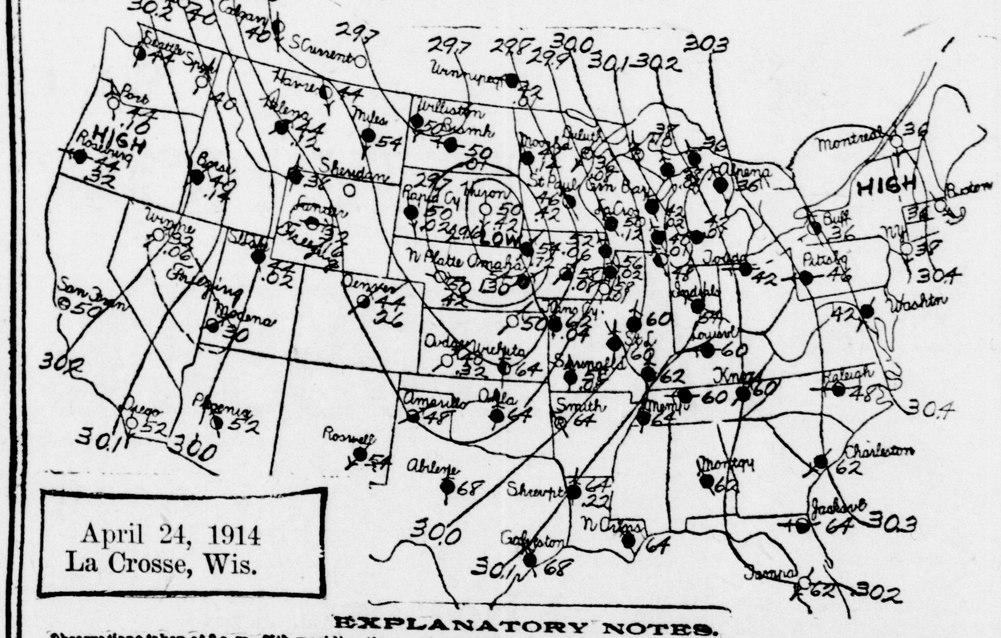
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U. S. Department of Agriculture. WEATHER BUREAU.



EXPLANATORY NOTES.

Observations taken at 8 a. m., 75th meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level. Isobars (continuous lines) pass through points of equal air pressure. Isotherms (dotted lines) pass through points of equal temperature; drawn only for zero, freezing, 90°, and 100°. ○ clear; ◔ partly cloudy; ● cloudy; Ⓡ rain; Ⓢ snow; Ⓜ report missing. Arrows fly with the wind. First figures, lowest temperature past 12 hours; second, precipitation of .01 inch or more for past 24 hours; third, maximum wind velocity.

	(LO)	(HI)	(P)		(LO)	(HI)	(P)		(LO)	(HI)	(P)
Boston	36	52	0	La Crosse	50	64	.12	Boise	40	60	.14
Charleston	62	80	0	Madison	46	56	.04	Denver	44	58	.26
New York	38	58	0	Memphis	64	78	0	Helena	44	64	.12
Washington	42	62	0	Milwaukee	40	46	.01	Miles City	54	70	0
Galveston	68	74	0	Bismarck	50	76	.01	Portland, Ore.	44	56	.10
Jacksonville	64	80	0	Huron	50	66	.42	Spokane	40	60	0
New Orleans	64	80	0	Kansas City	62	68	.04	Medicine Hat	40	76	0
Chicago	48	52	0	St. Paul	46	64	.42				

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BUREAUCRACY "SPEED"

DRESDEN, April 24—The "speed" of bureaucracy in office in Germany is aptly illustrated by an incident just made public here. In the Bohemian district of Saxony, a father protested against his son being compelled to attend religious instruction in school. The protest slept in the pigeonholes of the various departments until it finally reached the minister of education for final decision. A few days ago the ministry received the following reply from the district school inspector: "I regret to report that it is impossible to carry out the instructions of the ministry as the boy has in the meantime married." A period of five years elapsed between protest and decision.

Attention, Mr. Farmer!

Are you going to treat your Seed Grain and Seed Potatoes this Spring?

We have the best Formaldehyde Solution that money can buy, containing a strength of 40 per cent by volume, being the same that the various Agricultural Colleges are recommending.

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ORDER MORE MARINES

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Orders were given today for 250 marines to join the New York when she sails from New York city on Sunday or Monday for Vera Cruz and a like number from the Fourth regiment to join the West Virginia when she sails from Mare Island for the west coast of Mexico.

REFUGE SHIP SAILS

WASHINGTON, April 24. — The Esperanza with about 1,600 refugees aboard sailed today from Vera Cruz for Galveston, according to navy dispatches this afternoon. She will stop at Tampico. The collier Jason also loaded with refugees accompanied the Esperanza and will stop at Tuxpam to load other refugees.

Willing to Tell.

Sometimes it is a pleasure to answer questions, even if the questioner may put them in an unpleasant way.

"What do you do for a living?" asked a lawyer, frowning horribly at a hatchet faced young man who was undergoing cross examination.

"I, sir," answered the witness, hastily diving into his side pocket, "am the agent for Dr. Korker's celebrated corn and bunion destroyer, greatest remedy of the age, used by all the crowned heads of Europe, never known to fail to remove the most obdurate corns in less than twenty-four hours or money cheerfully refund"— Here the court interfered.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank all who so kindly assisted us in our late bereavement in the death of our beloved mother and grandmother, Mrs. Mary Douglas. Special thanks to Rev. M. Fraser, the choir of the M. E. church, Mr. Jas. McConnell and Mrs. W. D. Corlett, the pallbearers and all who sent floral offerings.

Mr. David Douglas, Mr. Wm. Douglas, Mr. Bert Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Schneller, Mr. and Mrs. Fulus Brabant, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erickson, Millie Fernandee, Joe Brabant, Jr., Frank Brabant,

PERSONALS

Packages called for and delivered, 10c. Call 82.

Daniel Rose has moved his family here from La Crescent.

Marie Silberg and Hilda and Signa Alland have returned to their homes in Buck Creek, after a short visit with friends here.

Mrs. C. C. Howard has returned to her home in Prairie du Chien, after a shopping trip here.

B. A. Yeomen dance Tuesday.

Mrs. G. E. Winters of Centerville, is the guest of friends in the city.

Miss Edith Ducharme has returned to her home in Prairie du Chien after visiting friends in the city.

Fred Rockland has returned to St. Charles, Minn., after a short business trip here.

Mrs. E. F. Baker has returned to her home in Dakota after a short visit here.

Electric vacuum cleaners for rent by the day or by hour. Thill-Manning-Whalen Co.

William Beach is the guest of relatives and friends in Dakota, Minn.

Arwin Witt has returned to his home in Nodine, Minn., after a short visit with La Crosse friends.

Mrs. John Strupp has returned to her home in Yucatan, Minn., after visiting at the home of Mrs. Nick Frinkets in La Crosse.

Richard Mademan has returned home to Stockton, Minn., after a short business trip to La Crosse.

Hack and baggage calls made. Gateway City Trfr. Co. Phone 179.

Glen Willsey has returned to Yucatan, Minn., after a short visit with friends here.

O. E. Hillman of Modena, Wis., was a La Crosse business caller the first part of the week.

Mrs. Arthur Goeldner of La Crosse visited friends and relatives in Alma the first part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Bielefeldt were the guests of relatives in Alma Sunday.

Mrs. William Ulrich and son Waldemar of Alma, Wis., were the guests of friends in La Crosse Sunday.

Miss Viola Friederich of Alma, is visiting in the city.

Edward Fugina of Fountain City, Wis., was a La Crosse caller the first of the week.

Mrs. E. V. Wolfe of La Crosse is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Marshall in Viroqua, Wis.

Carl Helgeson, Fountain, Minn., transacted business in the city yesterday, returning late in the day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bean, Ferryville, Wis., called on friends and relatives in the city yesterday.

H. L. Haverly, DeSoto, spent yesterday in the city.

Best dairy butter, 28c per pound, at Jaekel's Grocery. Call N. P. 97.

A. Tullock, Victory, Wis., spent a few hours in town yesterday.

Mrs. B. M. Bolstad, Viroqua, shopped in the city yesterday, returning in the afternoon.

George Flick, Genoa, Wis., made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Thomas Marveson of Fountain, Minn., spent yesterday with friends and relatives in La Crosse.

W. H. Healy, Madison, Wis., transacted business in the city yesterday.

A. H. Freiling, New Albin, Iowa, spent yesterday in the city, calling on friends and relatives.

W. A. Bright, Trempealeau, Wis., called on business friends in the city yesterday.

Caroline J. Guenetier sold land in the town of Shelby to N. E. Landirk today for the consideration of $1,500.

Lila Jaeckel sold a lot in the city of Onalaska to Louisa Amelia Storandt.

Only One "BROMO QUININE"
To get the genuine, call for full name, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. 25c.

TRIES TO STOP EMIGRATION

VIENNA, April 24.—The attempt of the Austrian government to prevent the loss of any more "army material" through a decree of the minister of interior prohibiting the emigration of all men between the ages of 17 and 35, is having a serious effect upon the several steamship companies out of Triest which have been waxing fat on the travel to the United States and Canada. The government is threatening the companies with heavy penalties if they take emigrants not provided with the proper credentials that they may yeave the country. The decree of the minister of the interior is giving rise to a new occupation—that of smuggling emigrants across the liue into Italy, Switzerland, Germany and Russia, from whence they can make their way to some port, to get a steamer for the land of freedom.

NOTICE!

Attention, Knights of Pythias, meet at Castle hall, 2 p. m. Saturday, to attend funeral of W. S. Jamesson. John Arntson, C. C.

Special FOR SATURDAY

We will make a sharp reduction on all of our Tango Beads for Saturday only.

All 75c, 85c, 90c and $1.25 Beads, choice **45c**
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SOCIETY

BACHELOR GIRL CLUB

The first meeting of the Bachelor Girl club was held Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Lillian Nowak, 1528 Johnson street. An election of officers was held with the following result. Miss Lillian Nowak, president; Miss Mildred Guenther, secretary and treasurer; Laura Scholberg, advisor. The rooms were decorated with the club colors green and white. A five course dinner was served, covers being laid for twelve. The club members are the Misses Ruth Atkinson, Laura Clements, Dora and Mildred Guenther, Lillian Jojade, Dorothy Ledegar, Leona and Phoebe Ness, Lillian Nowak, Anna Osweiler, Laura Schalenbach and Elsie Stoiber. The club will meet every first and third Tuesday of every month.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Mrs. Joseph Riese was pleasantly surprised yesterday afternoon at her home, 402 South Seventh street, in honor of her birthday. The guests came with baskets of delicacies and the afternoon was spent at fancy work. Miss Frieda Moeves, Mrs. Ella Bittner and Miss Emma Bittner entertained with music.

Among those present were Mesdames Carl Ruplin, Williams, R. Clark, S. Stirneman, J. Dean, B. Thurber, John Brudlos, C. Morgan, Jacob Ruplin, E. Nedvideck, Sophie Major, Frieda Moevs, Emma Bittner, Ella Bittner and J. Riese. A number of beautiful gifts were received by Mrs. Riese.

CINCH PARTY MONDAY

Rowena Circle, B. A. Yeomen, held its weekly meeting Tuesday afternoon, thirty-six ladies being present. Progressive cinch was played and the prizes of Haviland china were awarded to Mesdames C. Rossberg, Delphenich, Albrecht and Lee. The Circle will give a public card party next Monday afternoon for members and friends at which cinch will be played.

LINEN SHOWER

Miss Amelia Kuehn gave a linen shower in honor of Miss Elsie Hanson, a May bride. The evening was spent in music and dancing. Refreshments were served at a late hour. Those present were: Misses Martha Ott, Minnie Loytz, Katherine Dolato, Rose Harter, Mary Dolato, Helen Bakalars, Lilly Spika, Marie Sylka, Anna Steinke, Regina Kuehn, Lynda Bendel.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Parents and Teachers' association of the Normal will meet Monday evening at the Normal school.

The Missionary class of the First Congregational church will meet on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Bunge. Mrs. Benezet will have charge of the lesson.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

A party of West Salem people consisting of Mrs. Hope McEldowney, Mrs. Wendell McEldowney and Miss Elsen motored to the city yesterday on a shopping expedition.

Mrs. Ambrose Fuller of Blue Earth was a guest of city friends yesterday.

Good Politics.

Good politics should be merely a matter of good business and good sense.—Omaha Bee.

WEATHER

Temperatures yesterday:
High, 64.
Low, 50.
Precipitation, .12.

Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Unsettled weather with probably thunder showers tonight; Saturday generally fair and cooler.

For Wisconsin: Unsettled weather tonight and Saturday; probably showers and thunderstorms; warmer east portion tonight; cooler Saturday; fresh to strong shifting breezes.

For Minnesota: Showers tonight; cooler west portion; Saturday generally fair with cooler south and west portions; fresh shifting winds.

Weather Conditions

The low pressure area has moved slowly eastward and is central this morning in eastern South Dakota and eastern Nebraska; it has been accompanied by local showers and thunderstorms with rising temperature. The eastern high is central over the north Atlantic sthates and fair weather prevails in that section. The Pacific high is advancing slowly inland and the temperature has fallen slightly in the plateau region and Rocky mountain districts.

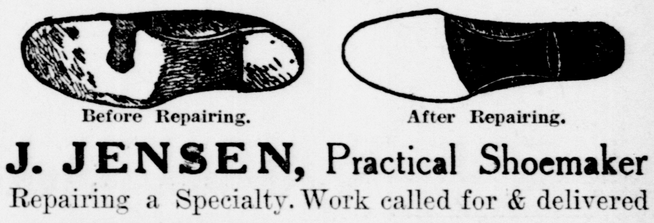
The continued easterly drift of the low pressure area will likely cause thunder showers in this section this afternoon and tonight followed by generally fair and cooler weather Saturday.

River

	Stage.	Change.
St. Paul	2.3	-0.1
Red Wing	4.5	-0.3
Reeds	4.5	-0.3
La Crosse	4.2	-0.2

LOAD COAST ARTILLERY

NEW YORK, April 24.—Nine hundred coast artillery men are boarding the army transport Sumner, anchored off Fort Totten, which after collecting more artillery men from posts near New York will proceed to Mexico.


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CALIFORNIA QUAKES

SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 24.—Several earthquake shocks were felt early today here, at Stockton, Portola, Croville, Chico and at Gerlach, Nevada. Buildings were violently rocked but no serious damage is reported. The shocks, occurring simultaneously with the disturbances at Mount Vesuvius and Mount Etna, are believed to be part of a general volcanic disturbances.

Ancient Chinese Money.

The oldest banknotes are the "flying money." These notes were first issued in China in 2697 B. C.

WAR REPORTS BEAR STOCKS

BERLIN, April 24.—Wild reports that Japan will take advantage of the conflict of the United States with Mexico and is now contemplating sending a fleet to California, together with pessimism over the condition of Emperor Josef, caused a panic on the bourse today. Canadian Pacific fell five points. Stocks of South American shipping lines and others fell as much as 11 points.

Cats and Water.

Cats hate water because their fur has nothing oily about it and takes a long time to dry.

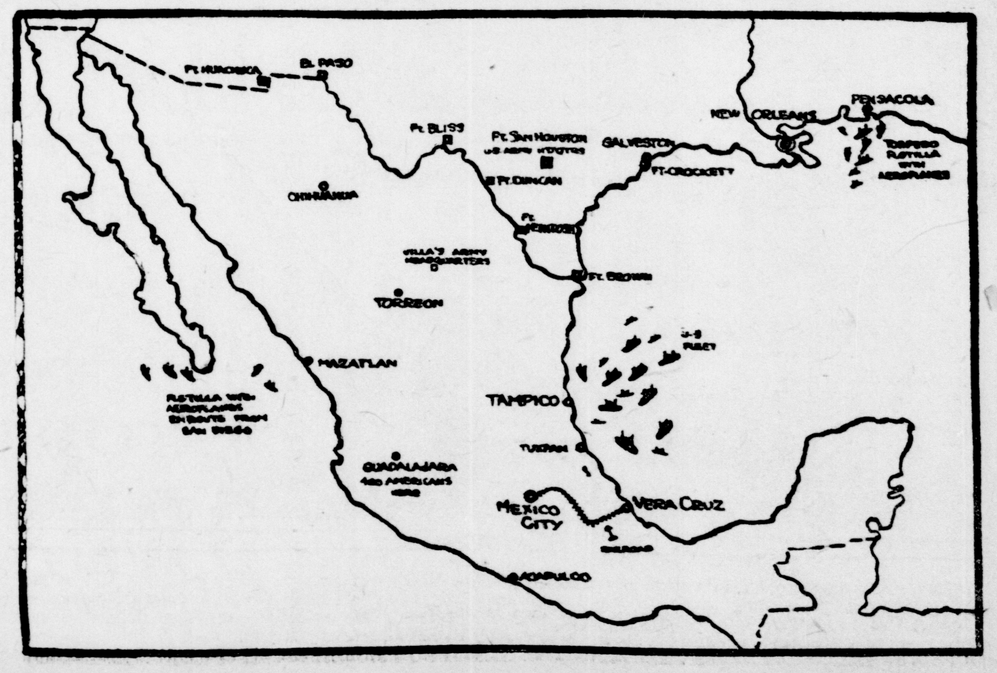


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WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

BY HAL SHERIDAN

Well, it was all in the family. If Walter Johnson had to get his, A. Johnson was the proper rookie to hand it out.

War news in Cleveland is overshadowed by the fact that the Naps finally won, after eight straight defeats.

Larry Lajoie, once renowned swatsman, continued to head toward the bottom of the hitting heap.

The Cubs won even after Jimmy Lavender had handed the Cincy Reds eleven passports to first.

Seven straight for the Pirates while the second place Phillies were getting theirs from the Giants.

Crowds of 20,000 and 15,000 saw the Chicago Feds and Indianapolis Feds open yesterday in frigid temperatures.

Another day has passed and St. Louis still has a team leading a league, meaning Mordecai Brown's crowd and the Federal league.

ARTILLERY TO BORDER

JUNCTION CITY, Kas., April 24—Orders from the war department for the Sixth field artillery to rush to Fort Sam Houston were received at Fort Riley early today and the first train will leave this afternoon.

Standing Of Clubs

National League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	7	2	.778
Philadelphia	4	2	.667
Brooklyn	3	4	.429
Chicago	3	4	.429
New York	2	3	.400
Boston	2	3	.400
St. Louis	3	5	.375
Cincinnati	2	5	.286

American League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	7	2	.778
Detroit	6	2	.750
New York	4	2	.667
Washington	4	3	.571
Boston	3	4	.429
St. Louis	3	5	.375
Philadelphia	2	4	.333
Cleveland	1	8	.111

Federal League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Louis	7	1	.875
Baltimore	4	2	.667
Buffalo	3	2	.600
Brooklyn	2	3	.400
Indianapolis	3	5	.375
Kansas City	3	5	.375
Chicago	3	5	.375
Pittsburgh	1	3	.250

American Association

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Indianapolis	6	2	.750
Milwaukee	5	2	.714
Louisville	5	3	.623
St. Paul	5	5	.500
Kansas City	5	5	.500
Cleveland	4	5	.444
Minneapolis	2	5	.286
Columbus	1	6	.143

GAMTS YESTERDAY

American Association

St. Paul 6, Milwaukee 5 (ten innings.)

Kansas City 6, Minneapolis 5.
Cleveland 3, Columbus 2.
Louisville 3, Indianapolis 0.

American League

Cleveland 4, Chicago 1.
Detroit 3, St. Louis 1.
New York 5, Philadelphia 3.
Boston 5, Washington 0.

National League

Boston 9, Brooklyn 1.
New York 12, Philadelphia 4.
Chicago 2, Cincinnati 1.
Pittsburgh 5, St. Louis 1.

Federal League

Chicago 9, Kansas City 1.
St. Louis 3, Indianapolis 0.
Pittsburgh 6, Brooklyn 5.
Baltimore 4, Buffalo 3.

GAMES TODAY

American Association

Milwaukee at St. Paul.
Kansas City at Minneapolis.
Cleveland at Columbus.
Louisville at Indianapolis.

American League

Detroit at St. Louis.
New York at Washington.
Boston at Washington.

National League

Brooklyn at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
Cincinnati at Chicago.
St. Louis at Pittsburgh.

Federal League

Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.
Buffalo at Baltimore.

KANSAS CITY CLUBS ARE LOSING MONEY

KANSAS CITY, April 24.—According to Kansas City baseball observers, the invasion of the Federal league probably will mean that both clubs will lose heavily this year. In the opening battle for patronage, the Feds appeared to score heavily, outdrawing the association club by more than four to one. But, say the association people, the Federals issued passes with a lavishness that almost accounted for the entire difference in the figures. This, of course, is not official information, and may or may not be true, but no great jubilation has been heard in Federal headquarters over the cash receipts at Kansas City.

The association games, admittedly, have been poorly attended. Kansas City in the past has been one of the banner association towns, but so far this year has suffered a tremendous shrinkage in receipts. At one of the games with St. Paul not more than 300 paid admissions were recorded. The Federals may have a long purse, but so has Uncle George Tebeau, and, if it is to be a famine, he can hold out as long as can those who are backing the new team.

FIGHT DECISIONS AFTER EACH ROUND

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 24.—Round by round decisions are proposed for boxing bouts here. Criticism of referee's decisions on battles is the motive prompting the move, and it is stated that the fans, tendency to forget the early rounds of twenty round matches is the main reason for their unfavorable comment.

The proposal is that the referee point to the corner of the man whose round it was, or if a draw round is fought, hold up both hands. By this system the fans could keep count and tab on the rounds, just as they do in a baseball game in keeping score of the hits, runs, etc.

It should be no more difficult to give a decision at the end of each round than at the finish, and in this manner the fans would be better able at the finish to judge who had the better of the majority of the rounds.

JOHNNY TILLMAN LICKS EX-CHAMP

HUDSON, Wis., April 24.—The ten round bout between Ad Wolgast and Johnny Tillman here last night was a disappointing affair in which Tillman outpointed Wolgast from beginning to end, with Wolgast calmly accepting the punches and making few attempts to come back at the Minneapolis boy. Tillman's foot work was good and continually took the offensive. The preliminary and semi-wind up were uninteresting.

She Recalled an Instance.

"Mrs. Peddicord," said that lady's husband, "did you ever say anything that you afterward regretted saying?"

"Certainly. I said 'Yes' once and have been sorry for it ever since."—Detroit Free Press.

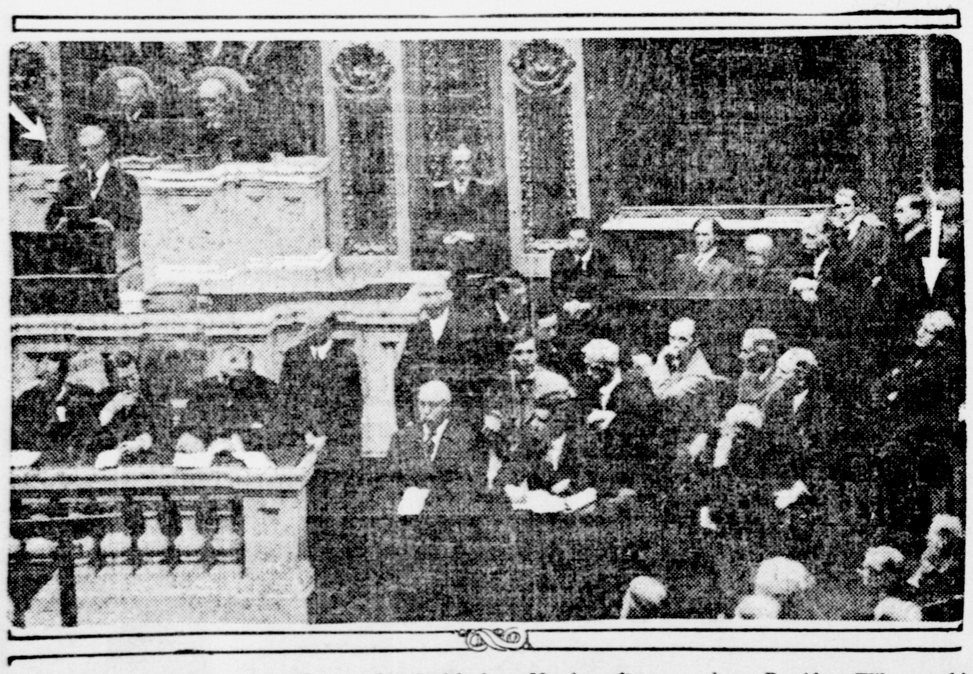
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PRESIDENT ASKING CONGRESS FOR AUTHORITY TO FIGHT HUERTA



This picture, taken at a few minutes after 3 o'clock on Monday afternoon, shows President Wilson making his request to congress for authority to use the military forces of the United States to compel respect for the nation by the Huerta forces in Mexico. Both houses of congress were assembled together in special session. At the right of the picture, pointed out by the arrow, may be seen Secretary Bryan.



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Boston Grabs One from the Senators; Thousands Attend Chifed Victory

NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York, 12; Philadelphia, 4

NEW YORK, April 24.—Before a crowd of 25,000 fans the Giants opened the 1914 season here with a victory over the Phillies by the one-sided score of 12 to 4. Score:

	R	H	E
Philadelphia .100001020—	4	7	4
New York ..20112600x—	12	11	2

Batteries: Mayer, Jacobs and Killifer; Tesreau, Schupp and McLean.

Boston, 9; Brooklyn, 1

BOSTON, April 24.—The Braves won the opening game of the season on the home grounds from Brooklyn yesterday 9 to 1. Score:

	R	H	E
Brooklyn . ..100000000—	1	7	3
Boston . ....00400023x—	9	9	2

Batteries: Ragon, Wagner, Pfeffer and McCarthy; Tyler and Gowdy.

Pittsburg, 5; St. Louis, 1

PITTSBURG, April 24.—The Pirates opened their home season yesterday with an easy victory over St. Louis, 5 to 1. Score:

	R	H	E
St. Louis ....000000100—	1	9	2
Pittsburg . ..00032000x—	5	8	0

Batteries: Hagerman and Snyder; Adams and Gibson.

Chicago, 3; Cincinnati, 1

Score:

	R	H	E
Cincinnati . ..000010000—	1	5	1
Chicago . ....00110000x—	2	4	2

Batteries: Douglas, Ingersoll and Clark; Lavender and Archer.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York, 5; Philadelphia, 3

PHILADELPHIA, April 24.—Frank Chance's Yankees snatched a victory from the Athletics by an eighth inning rally which netted four runs yesterday. The final tally was 5 to 3. Score:

	R	H	E
New York ....001000040—	5	6	1
Philadelphia . 120000000—	3	10	0

Batteries: Cole, Schultz and Sweeney; Bush and Schang.

Boston, 5; Washington, 0

WASHINGTON, April 24.—With Walter Johnson on the mound, the Senators were beaten by the Red Sox in the opening game. Score:

	R	H	E
Boston . ....000000131—	5	9	1
Washington . 000000000—	0	6	2

Batteries: A. Johnson and Cady; W. Johnson and Ainsmith.

Detroit, 3; St. Louis, 1

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 24.—One bad inning for Carl Wellman of the Browns gave the Tigers a 3 to 1 victory yesterday. Score:

	R	H	E
Detroit . ....003000000—	3	5	1
St. Louis ....010000000—	1	7	1

Batteries: Main and Stanage; Wellman and Crossin.

Cleveland, 4; Chicago, 1

CLEVELAND, April 24. — The Naps broke their losing streak yesterday, winning from the White Sox 4 to 1. Score:

	R	H	E
Chicago . ....000000000—	1	6	1
Cleveland ....01010020x—	4	1	0

Batteries: Cicotte and Schalk; Mitchell and Carisch.

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Pittsburg, 6; Brooklyn, 5

Score:

	R	H	E
Brooklyn . ..201020000—	5	7	3
Pittsburg . ..12100020x—	6	14	4

Batteries: Marion, Chappelle, Lafitte and Owens; Barger and Berry.

St. Louis, 3; Indianapolis, 0

Score:

	R	H	E
St. Louis . ..000000003—	3	9	0
Indianapolis . 000000000—	0	5	2

Batteries: Keupper and Hartlay; Falkenberg and Texter.

Chicago, 9; Kansas City, 1

Score:

	R	H	E
Kansas City .000000010—	1	5	2
Chicago . ....03120201x—	9	14	4

Batteries: Johnson, Stone, Hogan and Easterly; Hendrix and Wilson.

Baltimore, 4; Buffalo, 3

Score:

	R	H	E
Buffalo . ....002000001—	3	7	3
Baltimore . ..01120000x—	4	10	2

Batteries: Moore, Krapp and Blair; Wilhelm and Jacklitsch.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Louisville, 2; Indianapolis, 0

Score:

	R	H	E
Louisville . ..000100020—	3	7	1
Indianapolis . 000000000—	0	5	2

Batteries: Northrup and Severoid; Merz and Livingston.

Kansas City, 6; Minneapolis, 5

Score:

	R	H	E
Kansas City ..100020003—	6	8	3
Minneapolis . 000003020—	5	10	4

Batteries: Reagon and Moore; Lake, Burns and Rondeau.

Cleveland, 3; Columbus, 2

Score:

	R	H	E
Cleveland . ..000000030—	3	3	0
Columbus . ..100001000—	2	6	2

Batteries: Baskette and Devoght; Eayres and Smith.

TEXAS EDITORS MEET

HOUSTON, Texas, April 24.—One of the biggest conventions ever staged in Houston assembled here today, when the National Editorial association opened its sessions. Joe Shipple of Boston, Elbert Hubbard, Mrs. Lee J. Runtree, Governor Colquitt and other noteworthies were among those booked to speak. The convention is to continue three days.

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PLAYER SENT TO BENCH BY COURT

Johnson Pulled Out of Chifed-Packer Battle in the Second Inning by an Injunction

CHICAGO, April 24.—Chief Johnson, Indian twirler, who jumped from the Cincinnati Reds to the Kansas City Federals, expressed confidence today that the court order restraining him from playing with the Packers, will be dismissed when the case comes up before Judge Foell here.

"My contract with Cincinnati contains the ten day clause which two courts have ruled against," said Johnson. "I am positive that Judge Foell will hold against organized ball, too."

Papers were served on the "chief" after he had pitched two innings at the Chifed opener. At the same time President Madison of the Kansas City club was enjoined from tampering with Cincinnati players now at the Cub park.

Hoax—"A man with winning ways is always an agreeable companion." Joax—"Yes, until you get in a poker game with him."

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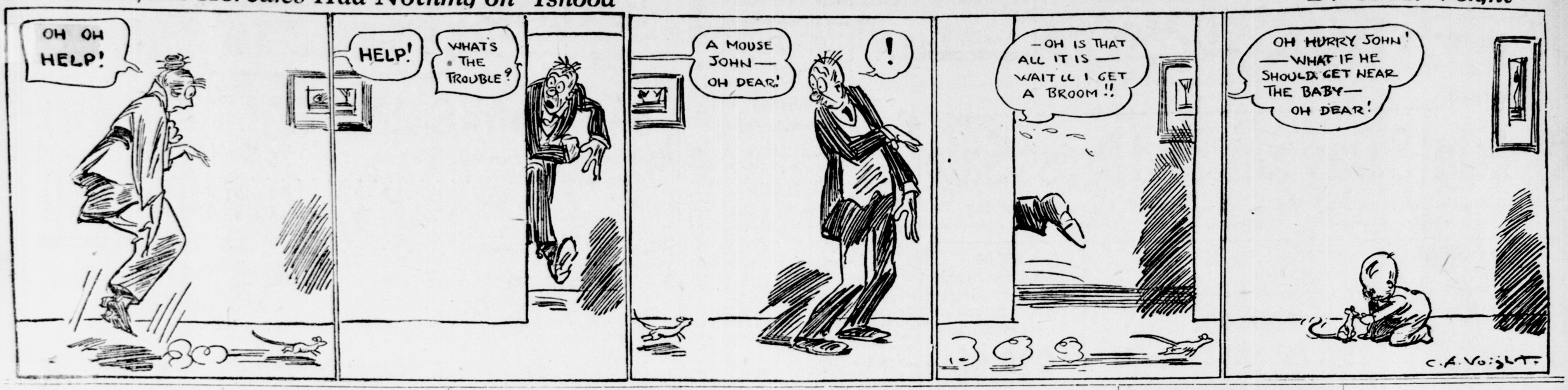
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WANTED—A good barber at once. Address Martin Swenson, Whitehall, Wis. 4 22 5 2

WANTED—Driver at the Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth. 4 22 24

WANTED—Bartender at the Stoddard hotel. 4 22 24

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Girl for general housework. No washing. Apply evenings. 407 South Thirteenth. 4 21 27

WANTED—Two girls at the La Crosse hospital. 4 21 tf

WANTED—Second girl. Call at Mrs. Henry Salzer, 17th and King streets. 4 23 25

WANTED—Girl at once. Nora house. 4 23 25

WANTED—Short order cook, at Hotel Foley, 501 Mill. 4 23 27

WANTED—Nurse girl at 926 Main. 4 23 25

WANTED—Assistant cook and floor maid at Lutheran hospital. 4 17 tf

WANTED—Two dining room girls at Hotel Hanson, Spring Grove, Minn. 4 17 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Good wages. Mrs. Smedal, 1420 Cass. 4 16 tf

WANTED—Girl to wash dishes, at the Wilson house. 4 9 tf

WANTED—Girl to do housework at 613 Main. 4 22 24

WANTED—Dining room and kitchen girl at Hotel Doering. 4 22 28

WANTED—Competent cook. Good wages. Mrs. Law, 435 South Fourth. 4 20 tf

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FOR SALE—Automatic refrigerator in good condition. Call at 832 Rose street. 4 23 29

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FOR SALE—Restaurant, 124 South Third street. 4 24 28

FOR SALE—Pure white Leghorn eggs, 50c per dozen New phone 117-A. 4 24 27

FOR SALE—Top buggy, light wagon and two harnesses. Call new phone 587-C. 4 24 30

FOR SALE—Summer cottage and four lots at Dresbach. Inquire 1114 Division. New phone 1569-M. 4 24 5 2

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FOR SALE—Blackberry plants, Snider, two and three years old, grown in the open, sure to fruit this season. C. L. Baldwin, new phone 928-C. 4 23 30

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FOR SALE—Eleven room house, suitable for two families. Cheap if taken at once. Inquire 508 Farnam. 4 16 29

FOR SALE—Black dirt and clay. C. L. Baldwin, Ebner's Coulee. 4 21 27

FOR SALE—Modern house. 1701 Main. 4 18 5 1

FOR SALE—3 h. p. electric motor. Inquire 915 Logan. 4 1 tf

FOR SALE—Shoe repair shop on South side, with finishing machine, electric motor. S. S., Tribune. 4 21 tf

FOR SALE—Cord wood second growth oak, dry. New phone 2811. 4 21 5 4

FOR SALE—Two English pit bull pups, three months old. New phone 796-A. 4 21 26

FOR SALE—Cheap, nearly new piano, easy terms if desired. 610 Mississippi street. 4 20 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, brand new Anderson Computing Scale, and a baritone horn, at A. J. Ness' Jewelry Store, 309 Pearl street. 4 9 tf

FOR SALE—Some household goods consisting of marble top walnut tables and bureau, together with dressers, commodes, beds, steel couch, etc. Gateway City Transfer Co., 214-216 Vine street. 4 20 25

FOR SALE—Eight room modern house and barn with alley. Will sell cheap and on easy terms account leaving city. 1612 King street. 3 12 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, 25 foot launch hull. Inquire 1025 South Second. 4 20 24

FOR SALE—Farm, 52 acres, seven miles from La Crosse. Inquire B. B., care Tribune. 4 18 24

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FOR RENT—Five room furnished flat downtown. Address L. L., Tribune. 4 18 tf

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. 703 Pine. 4 22 tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 832 Mill. 4 22 28

TO RENT—1219 Farnam. Apply 913 State. New phone 490-A. 4 22 24

FOR RENT—Steam heated rooms for light housekeeping, modern. 508 South Fifth. 4 22 25

FOR RENT—Furnished flat for housekeeping. New phone 194-A. 4 22 24

FOR RENT—Five room house. Inquire 717 Badger. 4 22 tf

FOR RENT—Four room modern furnished flat for light housekeeping. 712 Cass street. 4 15 tf

FOR RENT—Five rooms, 407 South 23rd street. Call at 7 o'clock evenings. 4 20 tf

FOR RENT—Front room, one of Doerflinger apartments, 503 Cass upstairs. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Seven room house, modern except heat, well located. Phone 739-C. 4 23 tf

FOR RENT—Eight room house. 921 Vine. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Furnished room. 324 Jay street. 4 4 tf

FOR RENT—Eeven room house, with acre of land, near State Road on 22nd street. Inquire 921 Vine. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Single or suite of furnished rooms, very pleasant and modern. 201 South Fifth street. 4 14 tf

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeepingg. 714 Cass. 4 6 tf

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO RENT—By June 1st, modern five to six room house with large garden. Address A. B. W., care of Tribune. 4 21 25

WE CLEAN CARPETS and rugs with our large auto vacuum cleaner. If work is not satisfactory you pay nothing. New phone 819-R. Reeves, 418 Caledonia street. 4 20 tf

WANTED—Five or six room cottage. Call up new phone 957-R. 4 22 24

AUG. KAAZ, new address 1220 Mississippi street. New phone 1387-M. All kinds of carpenter work solicited. 4 24 27

PLANTING TIME IS HERE—Let us price your wants in the nursery line. Catalogue free. The Northwood Nurseries, Coon Valley, Wis. 4 22 5 2

LACE CURTAINS done up reasonable. New phone 951-A. 4 22 tf

WANTED TO RENT by May 1, 7 or more rooms, also barn. New phone 639-M. 4 22 29

FOR RENT—Fine furnished city heated rooms. Gentlemen preferred. No housekeeping. 129 South Seventh street. 4 23 tf

WANTED—A four or five passenger car (Ford preferred). Must be in good running order. A. Eggen, 417 North Tenth street, city. 4 23 25

I WANT you to try a Brilliant Electric Suction Cleaner in your home free. A. O. Colby. 4 20 25

WANTED—To lease hotel and bar. Live Wisconsin town preferred. Address Bar, care of Tribune. 4 18 24

DRAYMEN ATTENTION! Free dumping ground for rubbish and for ashes, cinders and dirt we will pay. Standard Oil Company, Causeway plant. 4 14 24

WEIS' BOOK STORE is now located at 533 Main street, opposite St. Joseph's cathedral. 4 10 5 9

FOR HAULING ASHES and general teaming address H, care of Tribune. 4 2 5 1

NOW IS YOUR TIME to trade city property for improved or unimproved lands. Come and see me or write. Geo. H. Prock, Rice Lake, Wis. 3 31 4 30

UMBRELLAS REPAIRED. A. Mintz, 327 North Sixth. New phone 1561-C. 3 31 tf

LOST

LOST—Gold chain with pearl pendant, probably between 20th and Cass and the normal school. Reward at Tribune office. Phone 323. 4 3 tf

LOST—Pocketbook containing $5 bill and small change, between Sumner and Mill streets on Hagar. Return to 716 Sumner. 4 23 25

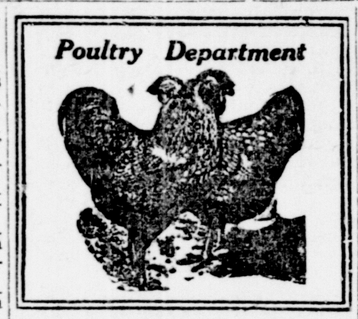
LOST—Pocketbook containing $42, owned by Ray Munn. Return to Oyen Sign Co., 125 North Third. Reward. 4 22 25

FOUND

FOUND—Girl's gold bracelet. Picked up last winter. Apply Tribune office. 4 3 tf

Piano Tuning

RENIER Piano Co., New Phone 1244-M, 322 South Fourth street. 2 13 tf



BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK eggs, $1.00 for 15; $4.00 per hundred. Van Loon, La Crosse, Wis. Old phone 2054. 3 20 tf

ROSE COMB RHODE ISLAND REDS —Red to the skin, extra good color and size. Eggs $1.50 for 15; $5.00 for 100. Satisfaction guaranteed. W. H. Reed, Canton, Minn. 4 11 23

ROSE COMB BROWN LEGHORN eggs for hatching, $2.50 for 50; $4.00 for 100 eggs. John Schriver, 400 South Third street. 4 23 25

Cut Rate Shipping

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis-Minn.

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION paid up stock is all right. 3 19 tf

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 tf

LOANS on furniture and real estate. J. W. Smith, 311 Pearl. 5 5 tf

Stoves and Furniture

WE PAY HIGHEST PRICES for all second-hand stoves, furniture, carpets, clothing, etc. Jacob's, 223 Pearl street. New phone 555-R. 4 4 5 3

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE and stoves. Bell Furniture & Stove Co., 216 South Third street, new telephone 1581-M. 3 2 tf

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DAILY MARKETS

Wholesale Fruit
(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Figs, Calif., 12 to 12 oz.	85c
Dates, Anchor, 30 packages	$2.50
Dates, Excelsior, 30 packages	$2.75
Dates, Dromedary, 30 packages	$3.00
New Dates, per pound	6c
Bananas, per bunch	$1.50 to $2.00
California Lemons, box	$4.00 to 4.50
Lemons, Verdelli, 30 size box	$4.00
Oysters, Standards, gallon	$1.50
Cabbage, per hundred	$3.00
Oranges, Cal., box	$2.75
Grape Fruit	$4.00
Apples, Northern Spys	$5.00
Apples, Snows	$5.00
Apples, Grimes Golden	$5.00
Apples, Baldwins	$6.00
Apples, Greenings	$6.00
Apples, Cooking	$4.00
Apples, boxes	$1.75 to $1.90
Canada Rutabagas, per bu.	75c
Cider, Refined, per barrel	$6.50
Cider, Pure Juice, per barrel	$6.00
Cider, Crab Apple, half barrel	$5.50
Cider, Refined, half barrel	$3.75
Cider, Pure Juice, half barrel	$3.50
Onions, Yellow, per hd.	$4.00
Potatoes, per bushel	70c
Strawberries, per quart	50c

Livestock
(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs	$7.50 to $8.00
Steers	$3.50 to $6.50
Cows	$3.00 to $5.00
Heifers	$3.00 to $5.50
Sheep	$2.50 to $3.00
Spring Lambs	$5.50 to $6.00

Poultry

Chickens	13 to 15c
Ducks	12 to 13c
Turkeys	14 to 15c
Geese	11 to 12c

Provisions

Lard, per pound	13¼ to 13¾c
Shoulders, per pound	13½c
Hams, per pound	16 to 16½c
Bacon, per pound	17 to 20c
Dried Beef, per pound	28 to 32c

Butter and Eggs
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound	25 to 27c
Dairy butter, pound	22c
Eggs, fresh, dozen	18c
Eggs, seconds, dozen	16c

FOREIGN MARKETS

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, April 24.—An irregular decline featured the opening of the stock market, a number of stocks making new low figures. There was, however, a good demand for the usually active issues.

11 a. m.—During the first hour the selling movement gathered force and at 11 o'clock the market was weak with an increased number of stock at new low figures for the present decline.

Noon—At noon there had been no operations for a rise but stocks were wanted at the low level both by way of covering shorts and for long account. On the whole, a somewhat better tendency had developed.

The market closed fairly steady.

New York Money

NEW YORK, April 24.—Time money 3½% for 6 months.

Prime Mercantile 4%.

Bar Silver, London 26 15-16d; New York 58½c.

Demand Sterling 4.87.55 to 60.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 24.—Cattle — Receipts 400; market strong; steers $6.25 to $9.25; cows and heifers $4.50 to $9.00; stockers and feeders $6.25 to $8.00; calves $6.50 to $9.50.

Hogs — Receipts 1,500; market steady to 5c higher; bulk $8.35 to $8.52½; heavy $8.25 to $8.57½; medium $8.40 to $8.55; light $8.25 to $8.50.

Sheep — Receipts 5,000; market steady; lambs $6.00 to $8.05; ewes $4.50 to $4.25; stockers and feeders $3.00 to $7.00.

Chicago Livestock

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., April 24.—Hogs—Receipts 11,000; market steady to lower; mixed and butchers $8.40 to $8.72; good heavy $8.35 to $8.70; rough heavy $8.20 to $8.35; light $8.50 to $8.72; pigs $7.20 to $8.35.

Cattle — Receipts 1,000; market steady; beeves $8.10 to $9.35; cows and heifers $3.70 to $8.50; stockers and feeders $5.50 to $8.15; Texans $7.10 to $8.20; calves $6.00 to $8.50.

Sheep — Receipts 8,000; market slow; steady; native $5.20 to $6.70; western $5.30 to $6.75; lambs $6.15 to $8.10; western $6.20 to $8.35.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, April 24.—Butter—Extras 24c; firsts 21 to 22c; dairy extras 23c; firsts 19½ to 20½c.

Eggs—Prime firsts 18¾ to 19¼c; ordinary 17¾ to 18½c.

Cheese — Twins 16¼ to 16½c; Young Americas 15¾ to 16c.

Potatoes—65 to 72c.

Live Poultry—Fowls 17 to 17½c; ducks 16 to 17c; geese 145c; turkeys 15c.

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, April 24.—Wheat—No. 2 red, 95c; No. 3 red, 93½ to 94½c; No. 2 hard, 93½c; No. 3 hard, 92¾c; No. 3 spring, 92½ to 94½c.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 67½c; No. 3, 65½ to 66c; No. 3 white, 67¼ to 67½c; No. 3 yellow, 66 to 66¾c; No. 4, 65c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 38¼c; to 38¾c; No. 4 white, 37½c to 38¼c; standard, 38¾ to 39c.

Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, April 24.—All grain futures moved within a narrow range today the market showing nervousness over the Mexican situation. Wheat was steady at the start, but additional rains over the west caused decline of ¼c before noon.

Corn was a shade easier at the start and lost ¼c to ½c in the forenoon.

Oats futures suffered decline of ¼c in sympathy with the other grains.

Pork was lower despite higher hog prices at the yards and other provisions were a shade easier.

May wheat and corn futures were a fraction higher in the afternoon, otherwise there were no changes in the grain list from noon prices.

Provisions displayed a firmer feeling toward the close.

Barley and Flax

Minneapolis barley, 42 to 56c.

Minneapolis flax, $1.50 to $1.52.

Chicago barley, 48 to 65c.

Duluth flax, $1.52.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
May	92¾	93	92½	92¾
July	87½	87⅝	87	87¼
CORN—				
May	64⅞	65	64¼	64⅜
July	64¾	64¾	64	64¼
OATS—				
May	37⅜	37⅝	37¼	37⅜
July	37½	37⅝	37¼	37½
PORK—				
May	19.82	19.82	19.75	19.85
July	19.95	20.05	19.92	20.05
LARD—				
May	10.02	10.05	10.00	10.05
July	10.30	10.30	10.17	10.22
RIBS—				
May	10.92	10.92	10.85	10.90
July	11.12	11.12	11.02	11.10

WANTED AT ONCE

One experienced machine hand. Must be capable of running a turning lathe. Also one cabinet maker.

O. J. Sorensen Factory

House FOR SALE

2135 Market Street

5 rooms, partly modern.

Paved Street. 5686 Old Phone

ELECT TRACK LEADERS

The normal school classes are taking much interest in the interclass track meet to be held May 16th. The junior class has elected John Milum of La Farge as the captain of their team and the men in the college course have elected Harold Jacobs of this city to lead them. The other two classes will meet on Monday to elect.

America's First Brick House.

The first brick house in America was Penn's Letitia house, in Philadelphia, built of imported bricks in 1682.

FOR SALE

Make me an offer on a good lot, n Hillview addition, facing park. Address 59 Tribune.

FOR RENT—Two office rooms, one with fire-proof vault. Batavian National Bank.

WANTED---Female Help

We are in need of a few more girls in our knitting department. Good wages, steady work, plenty of light, sanitary conditions and a comfortable place to work. Call at once if you wish a good job. La Crosse Knitting Works.

SALE

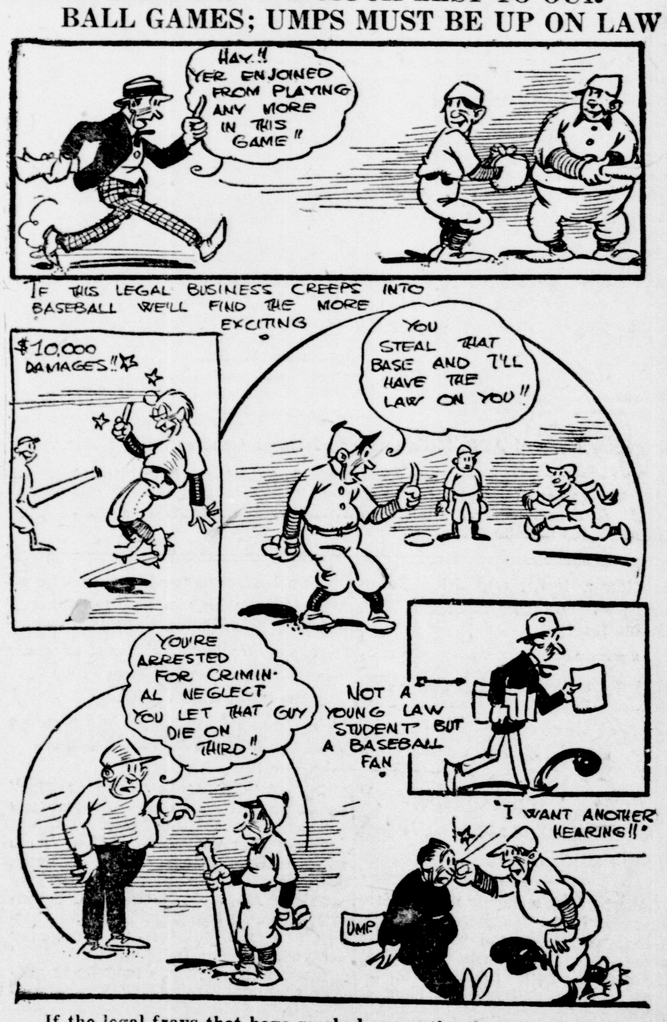
SATURDAY ONLY

Household furniture of all kinds. Prices slaughtered. Real bargains. Call 915 South Eighth street after 9 a. m.

WOULD ORGANIZE CAVALRY

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 24.—Colonel Melvin Grigsby of Sioux Falls, S. D., originator of the Ropgh Riders idea in the Spanish-American war, said today he had anticipated Colonel Roosevelt by ten days in applying for a commission to organize a brigade of cavalry. Colonel Grigsby, who commanded "Grigsby's Cowboys" in the Spanish-American war, said: "Roosevelt will find that my application was on file ten days ago."

LEGAL BATTLES ADD MUCH ZEST TO OUR BALL GAMES; UMPS MUST BE UP ON LAW



If the legal frays that have marked our national pastime of late continue we may expect the time when every ump will have to pass the bar. Players will be enjoined by the opposing club from hitting more than one three-bagger per game and may even be arrested for stealing third. The cartoonist has shown some of the possibilities of the law when mixed into baseball.

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The Entire Stock of Suits Re-priced. Every New Model Included. Nothing Reserved.

$42.50	$37.50	$32.50	$30.00
Silk Suits, a variety of styles, shades and sizes	Handsome Cloth Suits, a great many to choose from—	Very newest models, must be seen for value—	Individual models, very latest cut, three-tier peg top skirts—
$30.00	**$30.00**	**$26.50**	**$24.00**

SUITS at $25.00 $20.00 $15.00 $12.50 / $20.00 $16.00 $12.00 $10.00

DRESSES of every descriptive material, made into the up to the minute styles at lowest prices. Sizes for Women, Misses and Girls.....$2.75 to $57.50

COATS
of Cloth, Silk and Novelty materials.
$5.75, $7.50, $9.95, $11.50, $14.00, $16.50, $18.95
And upward.

COATS
Balmacaan style, of Navy and Black Serge, Fancy Mixtures and Men's wear materials—
$6.50, $9.95, $11.50, $15.00

SKIRTS
are very popular and dressy this season. We have several hundred for your selection.
$2.95 to $15.00

Princess Slips, Petticoats, Bath Robes, Knickerbockers and Pantaloons at Lowest Prices.

WAISTS
for every occasion. Beautiful Laces, Crepes, Nets, Chiffons, also Wash Waists and Middys,
50c to $15.00

THE PLAYER PIANO USED IN OUR STORE IS FURNISHED BY MR. PHILLIPS OF THE NELSON FURNITURE CO.'S STORE.

ENGLISH PRAISE YANKEE ATHLETES

Daily Mail Says American Victories Are Due to Better Judgment and Form Development

NEW YORK, April 24.—In discussing the American golfers in England to compete for the English amateur title, the London Daily Mail made a real discovery for the English and wrote about it. The Mail hit pretty solidly at the secret of American success in the sport field when it said:

"It is the spirit of foresight, perseverance,and minute attention to details that has brought American victory in so many and such varied branches of sport, and it is precisely this spirit we in Britain, as a rule, lack, as we are as deliberately casual as our foreign, especially American competitors are deliberately careful, in that they bring to these international contests extra keenness, stronger desire to win, and sounder and more scientific habit of insurance against risks and far greater readiness to submit to necessary trouble and discipline."

"Thoroughness" is the watchword in American sports. In baseball the game has developed until the master mind with an inferior club may lead a better team with inferior leadership. It is the attention to detail, the careful planning of attack and defense that wins ball games, as well as the slugging of the batsmen and the work in the field.

In track and field sports, look back over the strides that have been made during the past ten years. Records have constantly been lowered, due as much to "form" as to the development of a higher type of athlete. Not many years ago hurdlers were topping the sticks by "taking off" from the left foot and then gracefully curling the right leg with a band at the knee as the hurdle was cleared. The runner cleared the hurdle by several inches. Then Kraenzlein introduced the "split." Instead of wasting time in sailing gracefully over the hurdle, the right leg was lifted forward and upward straight out. Extra effort was put in the take off, but not so that the hurdle would be cleared with inches to spare. The clearing of the hurdle has now been "boiled down" until the fastest men make it what is little more than a long, high step. In all running the arms have been brought more into play. It is recognized that a man especially a sprinter, may run with his arms almost as much as with his legs. The straight up and down "pumping" of the arms, bent at the elbow by which the sprinted lofts himself along, coupled with up and down action and "reaching" with legs has clipped seconds off every record. It is long since you have seen even a high school runner kicking his heels up in back. It is now a case of reach forward, life the knees high, and avoid every lost motion.

Commenting further on the lack of attention to details by the English, the Daily Mail said: "The consequence is that we rarely turn a potentially first-rate man into an actually first rate man." That is where this country now shines at its best. The training methods, the years of study which have been given the various sports by the men interested in them, have brought out "form"—the result of superior training—which makes a trained man of mediocre ability better than a man of great native ability but no training, and lifts the man of natural ability from the class of the ordinary performers to that of the record holders.

The Aurora Borealis.

The aurora borealis, or northern dawn, is an electrical phenomenon which in high northern latitudes, especially in winter, illuminates the skies with streamers of light. As the streams of light have a tremendous motion, they are called in many places the "merry dances." They assume many shapes and a variety of colors, from a pale red or yellow to a deep red or blood color, and in the northern latitudes they serve to illuminate the earth and cheer the gloom of the long winter nights. The connection of the aurora displays with the disturbance of the magnetic needle is now regarded as an ascertained fact.

Tod Sloan has forsaken the racing game, but he is now going the pace that kills. He has purchased a saloon.

Trimmed Hats at $2.69

410 MAIN STREET
Lennon's

Trimmed Hats at $2.69

SATURDAY SALE of FINE MILLINERY

Great Sale of Sample Pattern Hats for Ladies' and Misses' Wear, at **$2.69**

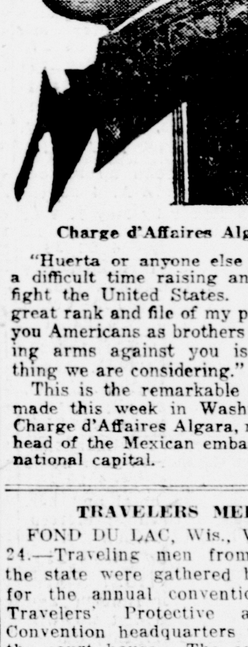
This line of Stunning Hats includes a large variety of the most advance styles and colors in Sailors and Bandeaux Hats, chic styles, trimmed with ostrich, fancy wings and French flowers, ribbons, etc. These Hats are reasonably worth one-third to one-half more than Saturday's price **$2.69**

CORSET SPECIALS AT 79c AND 49c
If you want a good inexpensive Corset built on fashionable lines, you can find the style and size here.
$1.00 values at each ..... **79c** | 75c values at each **49c**

CHILDREN'S WHITE SCHOOL HANDKERCHIEFS
Hemstitched, 5c values, at each **1½c**
Ladies' all linen Initialed and plain linen Handkerchiefs, special at each..... **5c**

Hair Goods
Real Hair Switch, 22 and 24 inches, three stem, natural wavy, $2 value..... **98c**

Silk Gloves
Women's 16 button length Silk Gloves, a fine $1.00 value, Saturday per pair **69c**



Wear a **Redfern Corset**
and your Figure will be Correct.
You will still be wearing it long after an ordinary corset would have gone to pieces for REDFERN Corsets are extraordinary corsets, DESIGNED TO FIT AND MADE TO WEAR. We guarantee REDFERN Corsets not to rust, break or tear and the design to be in accurate keeping with the season's Fashion in Dress **Priced $3 and UP**

TROUBLE IN MEXICO BRINGS THESE MILITARY MEN INTO THE SPOTLIGHT



Brigadier General A. L. Mills (left) and Major General George Barnett.

The affairs of the past few days have brought these men into the spotlight. Brigadier General Mills is chief of the division of militia affairs of the U. S. army. Major General Barnett is commander-in-chief of the United States marine corps.

BATTLE OF MINERS RENEWED IN NIGHT

One Striker Killed in Fighting in Streets of Walsenburg Yesterday

GATHER TO OPPOSE THE MILITIA

Serious Clash Is Expected Between Troops and Men at Walsenburg

TRINIDAD, Col., April 24. — One thousand armed strikers from the United miners' tent colony at Aguilar early today were gathering below Walsenburg to oppose the advance of 369 state militiamen under command of Brigadier General John C. Chase, who left Denver yesterday. Behind the strikers lay the smoking ruins of eight great coal properties, in the coal field between Delagua and Rouse, over which fighting between strikers and mine guards raged all day.

One striker was shot in a battle in the streets of Walsenburg last night. The list of known dead in the Ludlow district, where the miners' tent colony was burned has grown to twenty-nine and it is believed by operators that at least a score or more strikers and guards lie dead in the fields over which the fighting raged yesterday. Scores are wounded.

Shortly after midnight the special troop train reached Walsenburg Junction, where horses were unloaded. It was planned to proceed to Walsenburg under a cavalry guard, there detrain and march to Trinidad and Ludlow.

The indications early today were that the serious fighting of today would rage in and around Walsenburg. The women and children there are being placed in protection cellars.

John McLennan, district president of the miners, was arrested by militiamen at Ludlow late last night as he was passing through enroute from Trinidad.

"HONEST JACK" GETS GEMS

CHICAGO, April 24.—Fifteen detectives were detailed today to search for "Honest Jack," a messenger who disappeared with a sample case containing jewelry valued at about $40,000. While Salesman Anton was in a jewelry store, the messenger and sample case disappeared.

Detective—Does any one know the real value of the stolen jewels? Actress—No one but my maid. Detective—That lets her out. I suspect either the chauffeur or the cook.—Philadelphia Bulletin

A banana peel is a more dangerous thing to slip up on than a peal of laughter.

'WE LOVE AMERICANS,' SAYS MEXICAN ENVOY



Charge d'Affaires Algara.

"Huerta or anyone else will have a difficult time raising an army to fight the United States. Why, the great rank and file of my people love you Americans as brothers and bearing arms against you is the last thing we are considering."

This is the remarkable statement made this week in Washington by Charge d'Affaires Algara, now at the head of the Mexican embassy in the national capital.

TRAVELERS MEET

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Wis., April 24.—Traveling men from all over the state were gathered here today for the annual convention of the Travelers' Protective association. Convention headquarters will be in the court house. The armory will be used for a banquet which is the big entertainment oo the bill.

NORMAL DANCE TONIGHT

The annual dance of the normal school athletic association will be held in the normal gymnasium tonight. The gym has been decorated for the occasion in green and white.

Harduppe—"I'm always in debt." Wigwag—"That's tough.' Harduppe—"You bet it is. I wish I could borrow enough money to pay up."

City Grocery

BOTH PHONES — A. A. JOHNSON, Mgr

The Home of Good Things to Eat.

A large variety of Fruits and Vegetables.

We receive daily shipments of home-grown Radishes, Lettuce, Green Onions and Rhubarb.

California Oranges are now at their best. Special for tomorrow at per dozen **25c**

We are holding our Annual Spring Clearing Sale of Canned Fruits and Vegetables. If your supply is getting low, now is a good time to buy.

SPECIAL FOR THE KIDS

Cocoanuts, nice big ones, tomorrow only each **5c**

FOUR TO WED

Licenses for the marriage of the following were issued today by County Clerk Bert Jolivette: Christ Jansen and Mary Brandenberg, La Crosse; Fred Garbers, town of Hamilton, and Miss Marie D. Miller, Barre Mills.

MINERS AGAINST STRIKE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 24.—Through a referendum miners of America have taken a positive stand against a general strike and have authorized each district to settle its own difficulties in conference with the operators.

NOSE AND HEAD STOPPED UP FROM COLD OR CATARRH, OPEN AT ONCE

My Cleansing, Healing Balm Instantly Clears Nose, Head and Throat—Stops Nasty Catarrhal Discharges. Dull Headache Goes

Try "Ely's Cream Balm."

Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache will disappear. By morning! the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

Mention a town, and Jude Johnson will say he established it and set it on its feet.

The best cure for the man who always thinks he can do things better than they are being done is to try.

UGH! NOT CALOMEL, OIL OR SALTS, TAKE "CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS."

Delicious "fruit laxative" cleanses stomach, liver and bowels.

A harmless cure for sick headache, biliousness, sour stomach, constipation, indigestion, coated tongue, sallowness—take "California Syrup of Figs." For the cause of all such misery comes from a torpid liver and sluggish bowels.

A tablespoonful tonight means all constipation poison, waste matter, fermenting food and sour bile gently moved out of your system by morning without griping. Please don't think of "California Syrup of Figs" as a physic. Don't think you are drugging yourself or your children, because this delicious fruit laxative can not cause injury. Even the most delicate child can take it as safely as a robust man. It is the most harmless, effective stomach, liver and bowel cleanser, regulator and tonic ever devised.

Your only difficulty may be in getting the genuine, so ask your druggist for a 50 cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup" company. This city has many counterfeit "fig syrups," so watch out.

POSLAM'S RARE HEALING POWER AMAZES ALL

Poslam daily proves a cause of wonder to thousands because of the rapidity of its action in soothing, controlling and eradicating any skin disease.

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U. S. FIELD ARTILLERY IN ACTION AT SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS



This picture was taken recently at San Antonio, Texas, and shows the field artillery practicing the war game. This scene will be typical of many if the troops are sent into Mexico.